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JUVENILE-COURT STATISTICS AND FEDERAL JUVENILE OFFENDERS[1]

INTRODUCTION

The present report is the ninth in the series on juvenile-court statistics and the fourth in the series on Federal juvenile offenders.

The Children's Bureau plan for the collection, analysis, and interpretation of juvenile-court statistics was inaugurated in 1926 in order to make available current information concerning the trends in juvenile delinquency. The analysis of data concerning Federal juvenile offenders was initiated by the Children's Bureau in 1932. The publication of statistics on Federal juvenile offenders is a continuation of the cooperation of the Children's Bureau with the Department of Justice in furthering that Department's program for the treatment of Federal juvenile offenders according to juvenile-court principles.

In order to bring the material on juvenile-court statistics to date the data for 1935 and 1936 have been incorporated in one report and the discussion and analysis have been materially condensed. The detailed data on juvenile delinquency rates which have been presented in previous reports on juvenile-court statistics have been omitted in this report because recent population estimates necessary for the computation of rates are not available. The United States Bureau of the Census has not made estimates of population for individual cities since July 1, 1933. In the absence of more recent estimates it has appeared undesirable to use as a base for the juvenile-delinquency rates the 1933 estimates of population.

SOURCE OF INFORMATION AND PLAN OF REPORT

Part I, Juvenile-Court Statistics for the 2-Year Period Ended December 31, 1936, is based on data supplied by courts cooperating with the Children's Bureau in the plan for obtaining uniform statistics of delinquency, dependency and neglect, and other cases of children dealt with by juvenile courts. The analysis presented deals largely with cases of delinquent children.

The data regarding juvenile-court statistics are reported to the Children's Bureau either directly by individual courts or under a State-wide system. A court cooperating individually sends to the Bureau a card for each case disposed of by the court and a card for each case of a child discharged from supervision during the year. These cards are tabulated in the Bureau, and tables showing all the essential facts for the cases are returned to the court. Under the State-wide system the courts furnish to the State welfare department

[1] Material compiled in the Division of Statistical Research of the Children's Bureau. Report written by Bernadine A. Fouch, supervisor of juvenile-court statistics.

or other State agency concerned with juvenile-court work or probation service, information regarding their cases; the State office consolidates the material and supplies the Children's Bureau with an annual report for each court in the State. Much more detailed information regarding cases is obtainable under the system of reporting by individual courts, as it is possible to make correlations between the items reported; for example, the age of the child and the reason for reference to the court, or the age of the child and the place of care pending hearing. Under the State-wide plan based on summary tables, such correlations are not possible.

Part I includes the following:

The reporting area (pp. 3 to 5).—A brief description of the areas that have reported juvenile-court statistics.

Trends in delinquency cases (pp. 5 to 20).—An analysis of the trend in the number of delinquency cases reported by 28 courts during the 8-year period 1929–36.

Trends in dependency and neglect cases (pp. 20 to 24).—An analysis of the trend in the number of dependency and neglect cases reported by 27 courts during the 8-year period 1929–36.

Summary tables, juvenile-court statistics for 1935 (pp. 25 to 43) *and for 1936* (pp. 45 to 62).—Tables based upon the combined figures for the courts that reported in 1935 and 1936. All tables other than numbers 1, 9, 14, 18, 19, 27, 29, and 30 are based upon figures received from courts reporting on the individual-court plan.

Source tables, juvenile-court statistics for 1935 (pp. 63 to 102) *and for 1936* (pp. 103 to 139).—Tables giving data for entire States, for individual courts serving areas of 100,000 or more population, and for certain groupings of smaller courts.

Part II, Federal Juvenile Offenders for the Year Ended June 30, 1936, presents information concerning the juveniles under 19 years of age who violated Federal laws and came to the attention of Federal authorities during the period. The statistics presented have been compiled by the Bureau of Prisons of the Department of Justice. These cases are not included in the statistics obtained from juvenile courts, unless Federal jurisdiction is waived and arrangements are made for these juvenile offenders to be dealt with under State law in their home communities.

The analysis in part I of cases dealt with by the juvenile courts is based on reports of cases at the time of disposition, whereas the statistics for Federal juvenile offenders are based on reports assembled at different stages in the handling of the cases. The second part of the report thus includes information on offenders brought to the attention of the United States probation officers, on offenders received in jails and held pending trial, on offenders discharged from detention after being held in jails and other institutions pending trial, and on offenders placed under supervision or received under sentence in jails and in Federal institutions.

PART I.—JUVENILE-COURT STATISTICS FOR THE 2-YEAR PERIOD ENDED DECEMBER 31, 1936

THE REPORTING AREA

The reporting area for juvenile-court statistics for the calendar year 1936 included approximately 34 percent of the total population of the United States; the area for 1935 included 30 percent. The increase in 1936 was the result of an addition of certain courts located in more populous areas. The reporting area in 1936 included 5 entire States (Connecticut, Massachusetts, Michigan, Rhode Island, and Utah); areas of Indiana and New York comprising 82 and 93 percent, respectively, of the population of those States; the District of Columbia; and approximately 40 individual courts in other States.

The reporting area for 1935 included 398 individual courts, of which 80 serve areas of 100,000 or more population. The reporting area for 1936 included 384 individual courts, of which 78 serve areas of 100,000 or more population.

Table A shows the number of courts reporting and the number of States represented in the reporting area for each year from 1927 to 1936, inclusive.

TABLE A.—*Number of courts reporting under a State-wide system, number reporting individually, and number of States represented; courts that served areas with 100,000 or more population, and those that served areas with less than 100,000 population;*[1] *1927–36*

Year	Courts reporting							States represented [2]		
	Total	Under State-wide system			Individually			Total	Under State-wide system	Individually [2]
		Total	Serving areas with 100,000 or more population	Serving areas with less than 100,000 population	Total [3]	Serving areas with 100,000 or more population	Serving areas with less than 100,000 population			
1927	[4] 43				[4] 43	27	16	16		16
1928	65	7	1	6	58	31	27	17	1	16
1929	96	7	1	6	89	33	56	21	1	20
1930	92	8	1	7	84	36	48	24	1	23
1931	169	97	4	93	72	39	33	24	2	22
1932	267	[5] 218	35	183	49	33	16	25	[5] 4	21
1933	284	[6] 239	48	191	45	32	13	27	[6] 6	21
1934	334	[7] 294	44	250	40	30	10	26	[7] 6	20
1935	398	[7] 359	49	310	39	31	8	27	[7] 7	20
1936	384	[8] 349	50	299	35	28	7	26	[8] 7	19

[1] According to the 1930 census.

[2] Includes the District of Columbia.

[3] Individual reports were also available for certain courts that reported under a State-wide system: 1928 and 1929, 7 courts; 1930, 8 courts; 1931, 7 courts; 1932, 19 courts; 1933, 22 courts; 1934, 25 courts; 1935 and 1936, 29 courts.

[4] Includes the District of Columbia, which was not included in the 1927 report because the cards were not received until after tabulations for that report were completed.

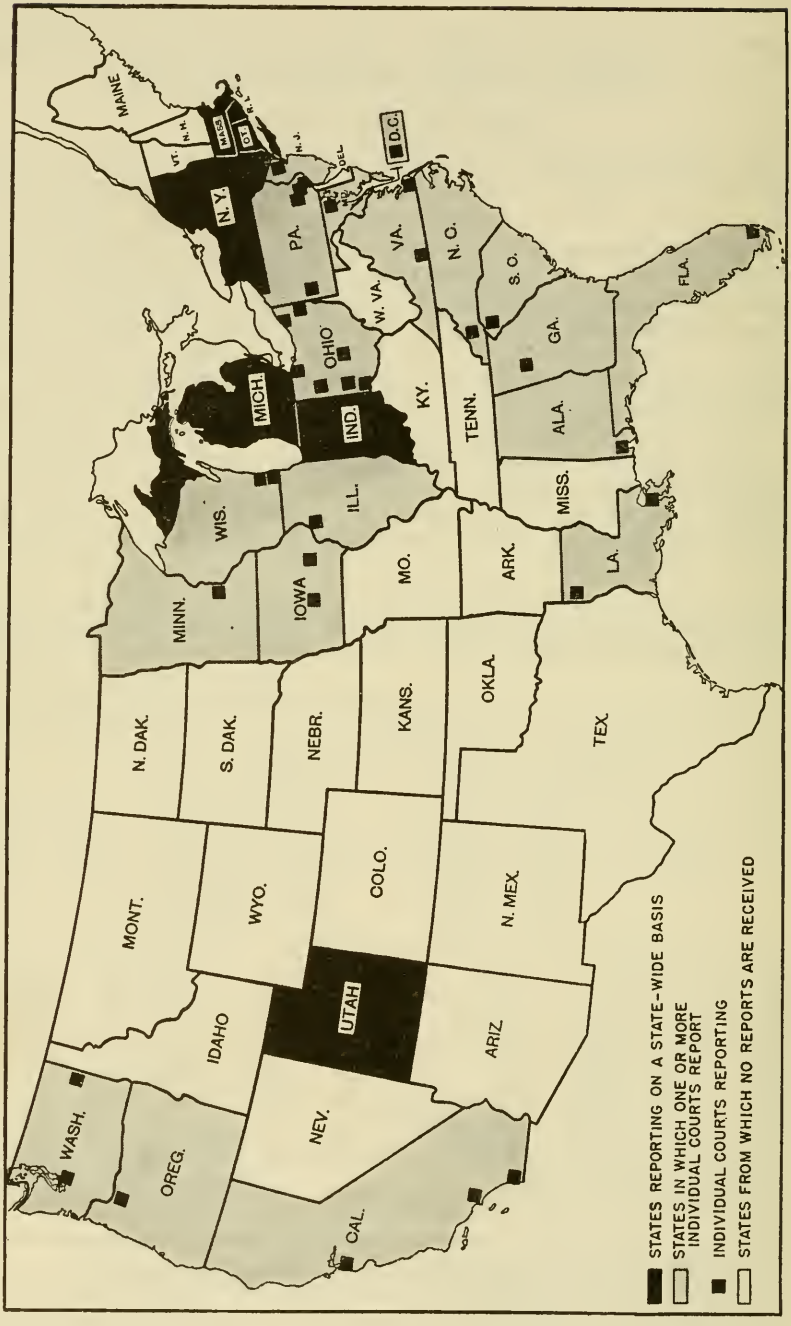
[5] Includes New York State courts serving 90 percent of the total population of that State.

[6] Includes New Jersey State courts and New York State courts serving 84 percent and 91 percent, respectively, of the total population of these States.

[7] Includes Indiana State courts and New York State courts serving 76 percent and 93 percent, respectively, of the total population of these States.

[8] Includes Indiana State courts and New York State courts serving 82 and 93 percent, respectively, of the total population of these States.

MAP 1.—GEOGRAPHIC DISTRIBUTION OF AREAS FROM WHICH JUVENILE-COURT STATISTICS WERE REPORTED IN 1936



The area reporting was particularly representative of large cities. In 1935 it included 65 percent of the population of the United States living in cities of 100,000 or more population; and in 1936, 66 percent.

The geographic distribution of the areas that reported for the calendar year 1936 is shown on map 1. The courts included in these areas submitted data regarding 63,320 delinquency cases, 23,599 dependency and neglect cases, 1,317 special-proceedings cases, and 20,808 cases of children discharged from supervision.

Table B gives the number of cases of delinquency, dependency and neglect, special-proceedings, and children discharged from supervision, as reported by the courts each year from 1927 to 1936.

TABLE B.—*Number of cases of each specified type reported by courts cooperating each year; 1927–36*

Year	Number of courts reporting	Cases disposed of				Cases of children discharged from supervision
		Total	Delinquency	Dependency and neglect	Special proceedings [1]	
1927	43	42,915	30,363	12,552		6,647
1928	65	55,171	38,882	16,289		10,429
1929	96	65,117	46,312	18,805		10,493
1930	92	75,401	53,757	20,711	933	[2] 7,562
1931	169	83,313	59,880	22,317	1,116	17,356
1932	267	89,680	65,274	23,235	1,171	18,737
1933	284	90,836	68,039	21,605	1,192	16,928
1934	334	90,300	66,651	22,499	1,150	17,490
1935	398	96,696	71,475	24,019	1,202	20,625
1936	384	88,236	63,320	23,599	1,317	20,808

[1] Special-proceedings cases were not reported prior to 1930. They include cases of petitions for commitment of feeble-minded children, adoption cases, controversies regarding custody of a child, children held as material witnesses, and certain other types.

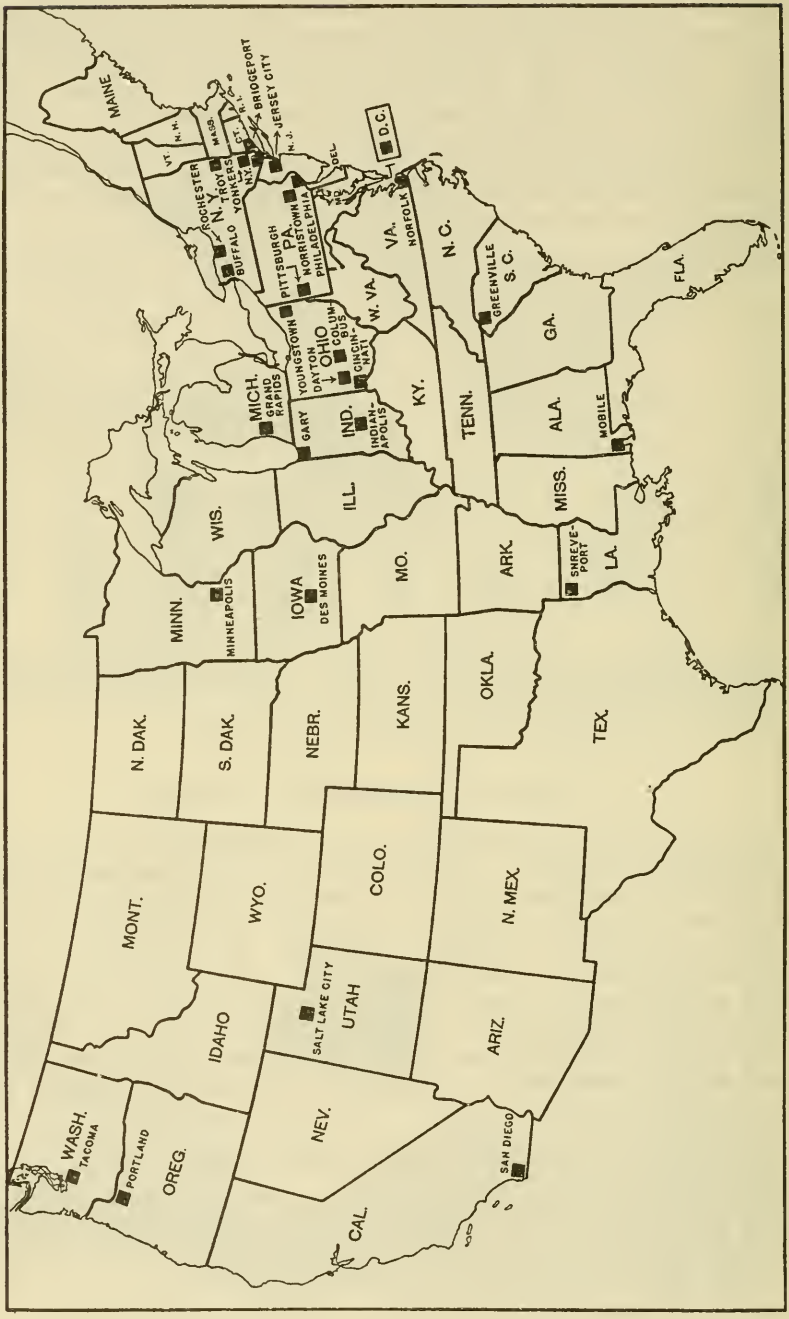
[2] Exlusive of New York City, for which a complete report was not available.

TRENDS IN DELINQUENCY CASES

Trends in delinquency cases from 1929 to 1936 are based on statistics received from 28 courts.[2] These courts are the only ones serving areas of 100,000 or more population that reported comparable figures for each year of the 8-year period. Although the courts included [3] have not been selected on a sampling basis, they are believed to be fairly representative of the entire reporting area. The combined areas include approximately 15 percent of the total population of the United States with all geographic areas represented. (Map 2.) The sex, race, and age distribution and the social characteristics of the children dealt with by these courts are comparable in general to similar data for all reporting courts.

[2] Trends in delinquency cases presented in the reports on juvenile-court statistics for 1932, 1933, and 1934 were based on statistics received from 30 courts. Two of these courts (Ramsey County, Minn., and Mercer County, N. J.) did not report in 1936.

[3] Mobile County, Ala.; San Diego County, Calif.; Bridgeport (city), Conn.; District of Columbia; Lake and Marion Counties, Ind.; Polk County, Iowa; Caddo Parish, La.; Kent County, Mich.; Hennepin County, Minn.; Hudson County, N. J.; New York City, and Erie, Monroe, Rensselaer, and Westchester Counties, N. Y.; Franklin, Hamilton, Mahoning, and Montgomery Counties, Ohio; Multnomah County, Oreg.; Allegheny and Montgomery Counties and Philadelphia (city and county), Pa.; Greenville County, S. C.; Third district, Utah; Norfolk (city), Va.; and Pierce County, Wash.



MAP 2.—GEOGRAPHIC DISTRIBUTION OF THE 28 COURTS THAT REPORTED JUVENILE-COURT STATISTICS EACH YEAR: 1929-36

Detailed data regarding delinquency cases disposed of by the courts in the entire reporting area during 1935 and 1936 are presented in the summary tables (pp. 25 to 62) and the source tables (pp. 63 to 139). This report, however, presents text material concerning the trends in juvenile delinquency only for the group of 28 courts for which comparable data are available for each year of the 8-year period.

For the 28 courts, material is presented showing the number of cases disposed of each year, the age of the boys and girls dealt with, the race of the boys and girls dealt with, the place where the child was living when referred to court, the reason for reference to court, the place of care pending hearing or disposition of the case, and the disposition made by the court. Analysis of previous court experience of children dealt with is presented for delinquency cases that were disposed of by 27 of the 28 courts during 1936.

Number of Cases.

During 1936 there were 26,773 cases disposed of by the 28 courts (22,630 boys' cases and 4,143 girls' cases). This number was substantially lower than in any previous year (table C). There was a

TABLE C.—*Number of boys' and of girls' delinquency cases disposed of by 28 courts that reported throughout the period 1929–36* [1]

Year	Delinquency cases disposed of			Year	Delinquency cases disposed of		
	Total	Boys	Girls		Total	Boys	Girls
1929	36,902	30,625	6,277	1933	32,723	28,127	4,596
1930	37,570	31,480	6,090	1934	32,179	27,296	4,883
1931	36,221	30,664	5,557	1935	30,554	25,905	4,649
1932	32,955	28,106	4,849	1936	26,773	22,630	4,143

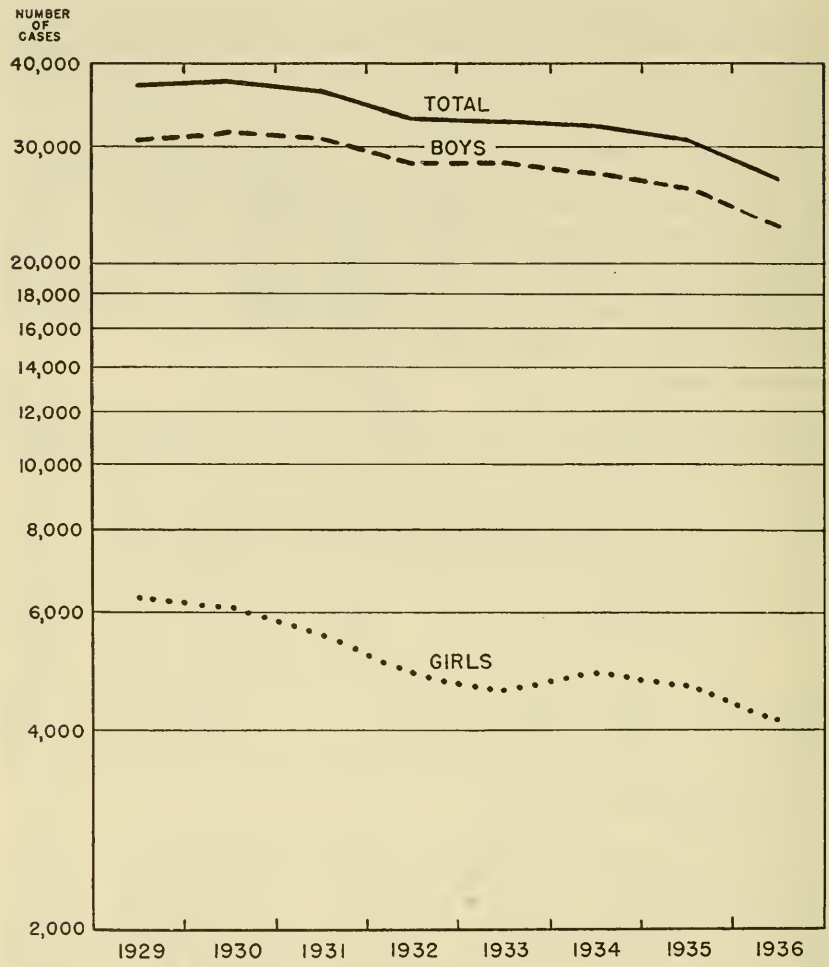
[1] Includes only official cases for Franklin County, Ohio, and Pierce County, Wash., because these courts did not report unofficial cases every year.

decrease of 12 percent in 1936 as compared with 1935 in the total number of cases disposed of by the courts. The decrease in 1935 as compared with 1934 amounted to 5 percent. The number of boys' cases was 28 percent smaller in 1936 than in 1930, the peak year reported for boys' cases, while the number of girls' cases was 34 percent below the number for 1929, the peak year reported for girls' cases (chart 1, p. 8).

Table D shows the number of cases disposed of by each of the 28 courts during the period under review. Some of the individual courts showed a marked change between 1935 and 1936 in the number of cases disposed of. Eight courts reported a larger number of cases disposed of in 1936 than in 1935, although only 3 courts had an increase of more than 100 cases. Of the 20 courts reporting decreases from 1935 to 1936, the largest decreases appeared in Philadelphia, New York City, and Mahoning County, Ohio. The substantial reductions reported by these 3 courts were primarily responsible for the marked decrease in the total number of cases disposed of by the 28 courts.

In New York one of the contributing factors may have been the establishment during 1936 of a bureau of adjustments designed to settle certain types of children's cases out of court. In Philadelphia there was a substantial reduction in the number of cases referred to

CHART 1.—BOYS' AND GIRLS' DELINQUENCY CASES DISPOSED OF BY 28 COURTS: 1929-36



the court by the police. The decrease in the number of cases reported by the Mahoning County court was attributed to the fact that a large number of cases handled unofficially by this court were not reported to the Children's Bureau for the year 1936, whereas such cases were reported during previous years.[4] An estimate of the number of unofficial cases for this court for 1936 on the basis of the average proportion of such cases handled during the 7-year period from 1929 to 1935 indicates an increase of 319 cases from 1935 to 1936 rather than a decrease of 757 cases, which is shown in the tables of this report. If the 1936 figures for Mahoning County including the estimated number of unofficial cases were substituted for the reported figures in the combined total for the 28 courts, the decrease from 1935 to 1936 would

[4] The information that the Mahoning County court had made this change in reporting was received after all tables included in the present report had been completed.

amount to 9 percent instead of 12 percent. It is believed, however, that the omission of the unofficial cases of this court does not affect substantially the distribution of cases given in tables E to K.

TABLE D.—*Number of delinquency cases disposed of by 28 courts that served specified areas and that reported throughout the period 1929–36*

Area served by court	Delinquency cases disposed of							
	1929	1930	1931	1932	1933	1934	1935	1936
Total cases	36,902	37,570	36,221	32,955	32,723	32,179	30,554	26,773
Alabama: Mobile County	219	177	160	140	165	222	193	136
California: San Diego County	1,656	1,640	1,617	1,385	1,327	1,415	1,694	1,547
Connecticut: Bridgeport (city)	461	470	445	511	378	589	362	311
District of Columbia	1,947	1,893	1,927	1,799	1,646	1,705	1,836	1,474
Indiana:								
Lake County	242	477	350	266	290	343	380	288
Marion County	985	818	617	785	835	951	1,118	1,035
Iowa: Polk County	747	610	457	502	605	714	391	330
Louisiana: Caddo Parish	275	291	338	304	343	415	357	296
Michigan: Kent County	431	520	507	549	470	403	444	476
Minnesota: Hennepin County	1,097	1,053	1,203	940	940	1,089	1,128	1,048
New Jersey: Hudson County	1,846	1,974	1,696	1,025	876	868	649	464
New York:								
Erie County	1,135	1,306	1,399	715	591	1,181	1,008	798
Monroe County	233	170	224	167	171	189	236	161
New York (city)	7,956	7,867	7,299	7,366	7,727	6,292	6,070	5,127
Rensselaer County	318	414	243	190	134	195	177	221
Westchester County	888	597	397	382	397	408	358	337
Ohio:								
Franklin County [1]	473	542	575	470	420	436	491	413
Hamilton County	2,034	2,072	2,550	2,418	2,298	2,044	2,360	2,531
Mahoning County	2,021	2,151	1,979	2,110	1,892	1,887	1,206	449
Montgomery County	752	598	578	493	454	429	558	833
Oregon: Multnomah County	902	1,172	1,247	839	993	1,101	969	1,068
Pennsylvania:								
Allegheny County	1,290	1,128	853	794	738	881	796	900
Montgomery County	55	96	74	76	80	77	53	92
Philadelphia (city and county)	6,955	7,517	7,390	6,711	6,787	6,461	5,735	4,688
South Carolina: Greenville County	126	106	91	80	107	104	198	149
Utah: Third district	871	972	1,149	943	1,093	917	964	846
Virginia: Norfolk (city)	852	774	728	869	861	696	728	636
Washington: Pierce County [1]	135	165	128	126	105	167	95	119

[1] Includes only official cases because court did not report unofficial cases every year.

The gradual decrease from 1930 to 1936 in the number of cases disposed of, though probably indicating some decrease in the amount of juvenile delinquency in the areas covered by the 28 courts, may also be affected by other factors, such as the policy of the police departments and other agencies in referring cases to court, the intake procedures of the courts, the relation of the courts to other agencies in the communities, and the extent to which the services of child-welfare agencies tend to reduce the necessity for court action.

Age of Boys and of Girls.

As has already been stated, the character of the community services available to children and the policies of the courts affect the number of delinquency cases handled by the courts. One of the important factors to be taken into consideration in interpreting the age distribution of the cases is the age under which the juvenile court has jurisdiction. The age limit for children coming under juvenile-court jurisdiction is established by State law and in most instances is uniform throughout a State, although for a few courts the maximum age has been set by special provision at a higher or a lower level than that for

the State as a whole. There have been no changes in age limits of jurisdiction in these 28 courts during the 8-year period. Fourteen of the courts had jurisdiction of children under 16 years [5] of age; 3, under 17 years; 10, under 18 years; and 1, under 21 years.

Table E shows the age distribution of the boys and girls who were dealt with in the cases disposed of by the 28 courts during the period from 1929 to 1936. There has been very little change from year to year in the proportion of cases in each age group, although during 1935 and 1936 there was a slight tendency for the percentage of cases involving children under 14 years of age to decrease and for the percentage of cases involving children 14 to 16 years of age to increase.

TABLE E.—*Age of boys and girls when referred to court in delinquency cases disposed of by 28 courts that reported throughout the period 1929–36* [1]

Age of child when referred to court, and sex	Delinquency cases disposed of							
	1929	1930	1931	1932	1933	1934	1935	1936
Total cases	36,902	37,570	36,221	32,955	32,723	32,179	30,554	26,773
Boys' cases	30,625	31,480	30,664	28,106	28,127	27,296	25,905	22,630
Under 10 years	2,071	2,038	1,659	1,601	1,600	1,373	1,342	1,035
10 years, under 12	3,877	3,961	3,746	3,470	3,395	3,154	3,273	2,737
12 years, under 14	7,963	7,891	7,291	6,793	7,024	6,630	6,204	5,176
14 years, under 16	12,680	12,984	12,818	11,443	11,507	11,945	11,186	9,997
16 years, under 18	3,729	4,121	4,223	4,108	4,126	3,984	3,731	3,561
18 years and over	78	136	130	141	124	111	107	85
Not reported	227	349	797	550	351	99	62	39
Girls' cases	6,277	6,090	5,557	4,849	4,596	4,883	4,649	4,143
Under 10 years	198	187	172	189	178	209	132	120
10 years, under 12	356	317	295	279	269	306	249	219
12 years, under 14	1,192	1,075	918	780	800	913	832	732
14 years, under 16	3,104	3,034	2,724	2,354	2,217	2,420	2,343	2,071
16 years, under 18	1,316	1,376	1,273	1,137	1,070	984	1,052	967
18 years and over	39	68	57	49	47	34	39	34
Not reported	72	33	118	61	15	17	2	-------

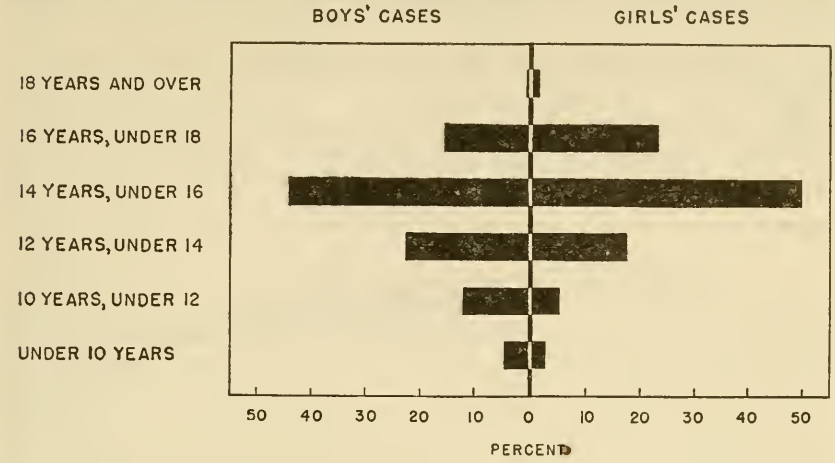
[1] Includes only official cases for Franklin County, Ohio, and Pierce County, Wash., because these courts did not report unofficial cases every year.

In 1936, 40 percent of the boys and 26 percent of the girls were under 14 years of age; 44 percent of the boys and 50 percent of the girls were 14 and 15 years of age; and 16 percent of the boys and 24 percent of the girls were 16 years or over. The proportion of cases involving boys and girls over 16 years of age would no doubt have been much larger had it not been for the limitations on the age jurisdiction of the courts as previously stated. The number of cases of children 16 and 17 years of age constituted 34 percent of the total number of cases handled by the 16 courts that were authorized to deal with children of these ages, and nearly equaled the number of 14- and 15-year-old children, who constituted by far the largest group in the courts with jurisdiction limited to younger children.

Chart 2 shows the age distribution of the boys and girls dealt with in the cases disposed of during 1936. The girls were older on the average than the boys.

[5] The 2 reporting courts in Indiana had jurisdiction of boys under 16 years, girls under 18 years.

CHART 2.—AGE DISTRIBUTION IN BOYS' AND GIRLS' DELINQUENCY CASES DISPOSED OF BY 28 COURTS IN 1936



Race of Boys and of Girls.

Table F presents the race distribution of cases, by sex. (See also chart 3, p. 12.) Among the boys' cases brought before these 28

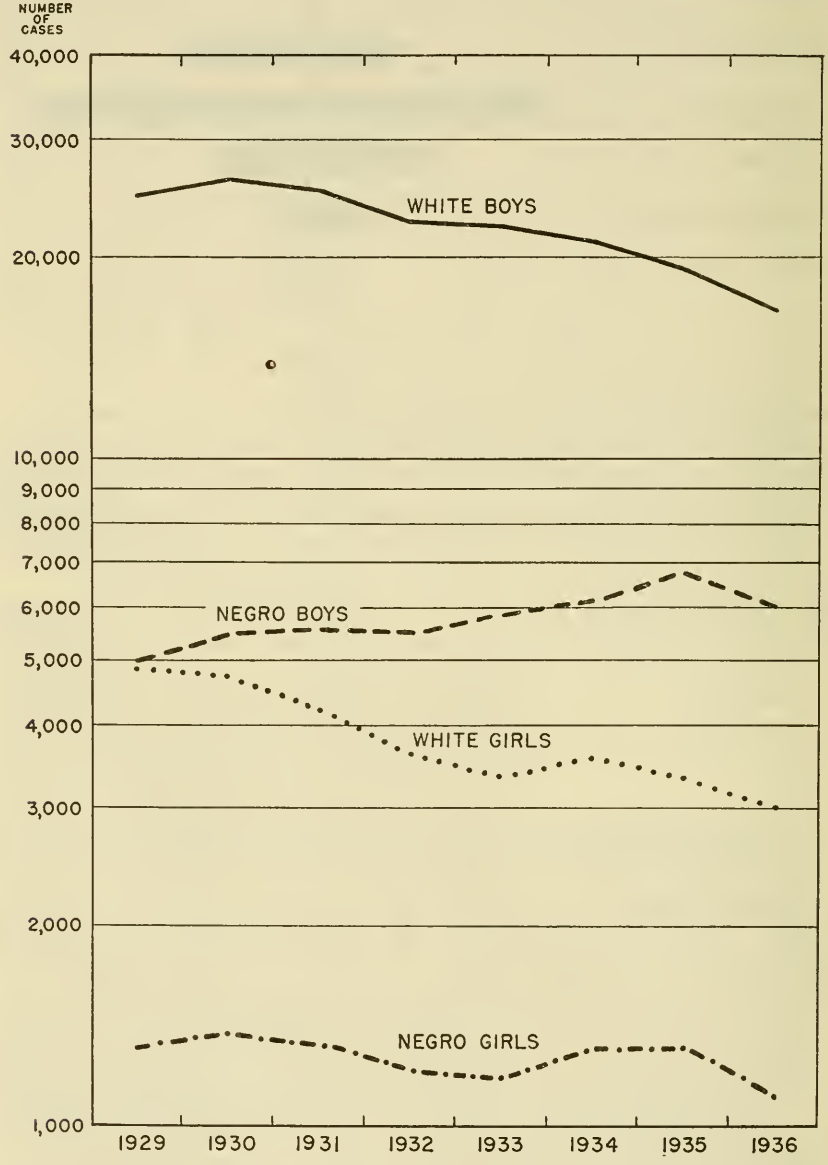
TABLE F.—*Race, nativity, and parent nativity, in boys' and in girls' delinquency cases disposed of by 28 courts that reported throughout the period 1929–36* [1]

Race, nativity, parent nativity, and sex of child	Delinquency cases disposed of							
	1929	1930	1931	1932	1933	1934	1935	1936
Total cases	36,902	37,570	36,221	32,955	32,723	32,179	30,554	26,773
Boys' cases	30,625	31,480	30,664	28,106	28,127	27,296	25,905	22,630
White	24,633	26,010	25,036	22,559	22,252	21,154	19,117	16,577
Native	21,372	21,686	22,053	21,419	21,109	20,265	18,453	16,143
Native parentage	8,740	8,973	9,980	10,332	9,883	10,209	10,233	9,822
Foreign or mixed parentage	11,304	11,304	11,035	10,267	9,996	9,335	7,741	6,125
Parentage not specified	1,328	1,409	1,038	820	1,230	721	479	196
Foreign-born	524	521	446	375	456	418	436	328
Nativity not specified	2,737	3,803	2,537	765	687	471	228	106
Negro	4,953	5,428	5,587	5,510	5,847	6,107	6,765	6,015
Other	16	35	26	35	28	35	23	38
Not specified	1,023	7	15	2				
Girls' cases	6,277	6,090	5,557	4,849	4,596	4,883	4,649	4,143
White	4,856	4,703	4,208	3,626	3,392	3,563	3,328	3,018
Native	4,459	4,363	3,856	3,534	3,297	3,471	3,248	2,935
Native parentage	2,633	2,498	2,245	2,072	1,946	2,043	2,141	2,112
Foreign or mixed parentage	1,790	1,738	1,540	1,349	1,200	1,268	1,003	774
Parentage not specified	36	127	71	113	151	160	104	49
Foreign born	132	107	71	69	72	72	75	785
Nativity not specified	265	233	281	23	23	20	5	
Negro	1,304	1,370	1,338	1,217	1,199	1,309	1,313	1,117
Other	11	17	10	6	5	11	8	8
Not specified	106		1					

[1] Includes only official cases for Franklin County, Ohio, and Pierce County, Wash., because these courts did not report unofficial cases every year.

courts the percentage of cases of white boys decreased gradually from 1929 to 1936, while the percentage of cases of Negro boys increased. In 1936, 27 percent of the boys' cases were those of Negroes.

CHART 3.—RACE AND SEX OF CHILDREN IN DELINQUENCY CASES DISPOSED OF BY 28 COURTS IN 1929-36



Among girls' cases dealt with by the courts there was a gradual decrease in the percentage of cases of white girls, and a corresponding increase in the percentage of cases of Negro girls, in each year of the period until 1936, when the percentage of cases of white girls increased slightly (from 72 percent in 1935 to 73 percent in 1936).

Among the cases of white children dealt with during the 8-year period only a few have been cases of children of foreign birth. This is doubtless because of the fact that only a small proportion of the foreign-born white population is under the maximum age of juvenile-court jurisdiction. When analysis is made, however, of the nativity of the parents of the native white children dealt with by the 28 courts during the year 1936, it appears that in nearly two-fifths (38 percent) of the boys' cases one or both parents were foreign-born. The proportion of girls' cases in which one or both parents were foreign-born was somewhat smaller (26 percent).

Home Conditions.

Table G gives information in regard to home conditions of the children whose cases were disposed of by these 28 courts. There has been very little variation from year to year in the proportion of cases of children living in their own homes and of children living in other places (other family homes, institutions, and so forth). In 1935 and 1936 the children in 91 percent of the cases were living in their own homes and the children in 9 percent were living in other places. The proportion of cases in which the child lived with both his own parents was slightly smaller in 1936 than in any other year of the 8-year period (60 percent as compared with 64 percent in 1929). The proportion of cases in which the child was living with one parent only was correspondingly larger (23 percent in 1936 as compared with 20 percent in 1929). The increase was found mainly in cases of children whose parents were separated because of divorce, desertion of one parent, or other reasons.

TABLE G.—*Marital status of parents, and place where child was living when referred to court in delinquency cases disposed of by 28 courts that reported throughout the period 1929–36* [1]

Marital status of parents, and place where child was living when referred to court	Delinquency cases disposed of							
	1929	1930	1931	1932	1933	1934	1935	1936
Total cases	36,902	37,570	36,221	32,955	32,723	32,179	30,554	26,773
Marital status and place reported	31,381	34,667	33,295	29,930	30,315	29,919	28,402	24,773
Child living in own home	28,897	31,737	30,448	27,379	27,790	27,437	25,707	22,462
With both own parents	19,971	22,122	21,300	19,297	19,388	18,812	17,367	14,790
With 1 parent and a stepparent	2,582	2,711	2,488	2,091	2,183	2,127	2,260	1,970
With 1 parent only	6,344	6,904	6,660	5,991	6,219	6,498	6,080	5,702
Father dead	2,526	2,938	2,813	2,520	2,600	2,595	2,353	2,098
Mother dead	1,364	1,501	1,302	1,273	1,137	1,131	1,017	889
Parents divorced	588	622	721	591	553	597	579	621
Father deserting mother	675	668	625	554	591	630	681	625
Mother deserting father	118	124	111	77	93	65	79	79
Parents not married to each other	93	120	159	124	176	167	151	165
Parents living apart for other or not specified reasons	980	931	929	852	1,069	1,313	1,220	1,225
Child living in other place	2,484	2,930	2,847	2,551	2,525	2,482	2,695	2,311
Marital status and place not reported	5,521	2,903	2,926	3,025	2,408	2,260	2,152	2,000

[1] Includes only official cases for Franklin County, Ohio, and Pierce County, Wash., because these courts did not report unofficial cases every year.

Reason for Reference to Court.

The reasons for referring boys' and girls' delinquency cases to court are shown in table H. The reasons for which the boys were referred to court differed greatly from those which brought the girls to court. The most frequent offenses for which boys were brought before the courts in 1936 were stealing and acts of carelessness or mischief (including traffic violations), whereas girls were referred most frequently for running away, for being ungovernable, and for sex offenses (chart 4).

Although the number of boys' cases referred for stealing has decreased irregularly throughout the period, the proportion of such cases has increased each year since 1933. In 1935 and 1936 the proportion of boys' cases referred for stealing (46 and 48 percent, respectively) was higher than in any previous year. On the other hand, the number as well as the proportion of boys' cases referred to court for acts of carelessness or mischief (including traffic violation) has decreased gradually each year since 1932, and in 1935 and 1936 there was a smaller proportion referred for this reason (30 and 28 percent, respectively) than in any other year of the period. The percentage of boys' cases referred for all other reasons has remained approximately the same in each year of the 8-year period.

TABLE H.—*Reason for reference to court in boys' and in girls' delinquency cases disposed of by 28 courts that reported throughout the period 1929–36* [1]

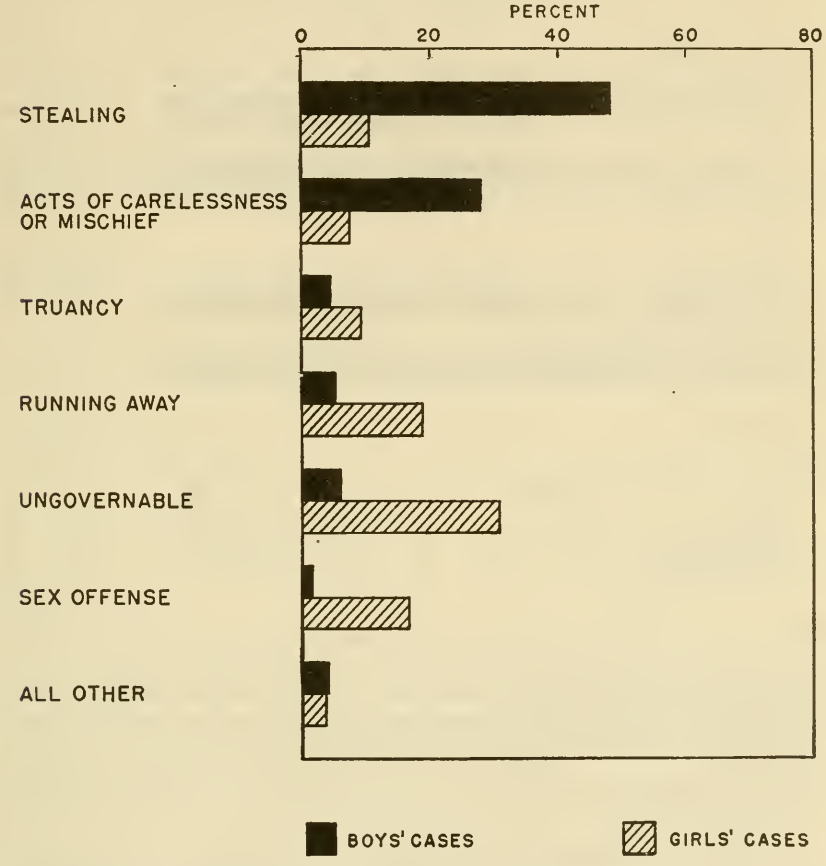
Reason for reference to court, and sex of child	Delinquency cases disposed of							
	1929	1930	1931	1932	1933	1934	1935	1936
Total cases	36,902	37,570	36,221	32,955	32,723	32,179	30,554	26,773
Boys' cases	30,625	31,480	30,664	28,106	28,127	27,296	25,905	22,630
Stealing	12,452	12,964	13,329	11,450	10,997	12,242	11,927	10,906
Act of carelessness or mischief, and traffic violation	9,088	9,574	9,161	9,727	9,691	8,036	7,655	6,358
Truancy	2,386	2,309	1,689	1,357	1,432	1,364	1,023	1,082
Running away	2,011	2,002	2,200	1,985	1,796	1,983	1,706	1,260
Ungovernable	2,276	2,070	1,968	1,690	1,735	1,901	1,902	1,429
Sex offense	467	527	437	393	429	407	411	448
Injury to person	821	774	757	720	702	635	672	575
Use, possession, or sale of liquor or drugs	198	143	198	140	131	128	106	109
Other reason	806	1,100	837	578	1,020	433	382	336
Reason not reported	120	17	88	66	194	167	121	127
Girls' cases	6,277	6,090	5,557	4,849	4,596	4,883	4,649	4,143
Stealing	676	730	682	505	481	526	504	435
Act of carelessness or mischief, and traffic violation	489	540	560	498	464	512	493	311
Truancy	676	699	506	454	514	507	473	393
Running away	1,094	1,046	979	883	749	983	889	767
Ungovernable	1,793	1,622	1,528	1,333	1,369	1,351	1,332	1,253
Sex offense	1,147	1,219	1,053	887	727	718	634	683
Injury to person	155	127	93	117	147	98	128	100
Use, possession, or sale of liquor or drugs	55	47	63	53	35	30	52	31
Other reason	119	49	56	68	63	58	46	38
Reason not reported	73	11	37	51	47	100	98	132

[1] Includes only official cases for Franklin County, Ohio, and Pierce County, Wash., because these courts did not report unofficial cases every year.

The number of girls' cases reported for all reasons for referral has decreased irregularly during the period. Among the girls' cases re-

ported in 1935 and 1936, there were also decreases in the proportion reported for all reasons for referral except for being ungovernable and for sex offenses. The proportion of girls' cases referred for these offenses was larger in 1936 than in any other year of the period.

CHART 4.—REASONS FOR REFERENCE TO COURT IN BOYS' AND GIRLS' DELINQUENCY CASES DISPOSED OF BY 28 COURTS IN 1936



The percentage referred for being ungovernable was 31 in 1936, as compared with 29 in 1935; the percentage referred for sex offenses was 17 in 1936, as compared with 14 in the previous year. In 1936 the largest decrease was in the group referred for acts of carelessness or mischief: The proportion (8 percent) as well as the number of girls' cases referred for this reason was lower than in any other year of the period.

Place of Detention Care.

During 1935 and 1936 in almost two-fifths of the boys' cases and approximately half of the girls' cases the children were detained overnight or longer (table I). There was, however, a gradual decrease during the period from 1929 to 1936 in the proportion of cases having

detention care. Among boys' cases this decrease was from 47 percent in 1929 to 37 percent in 1936. In girls' cases the decrease was from 53 percent in 1929 to 45 percent in 1936.

TABLE I.—*Place of care pending hearing or disposition in boys' and girls' delinquency cases disposed of by 28 courts that reported throughout the period 1929–36*[1]

Place of detention care, and sex of child	Delinquency cases disposed of							
	1929	1930	1931	1932	1933	1934	1935	1936
Total cases	36,902	37,570	36,221	32,955	32,723	32,179	30,554	26,773
Boys' cases	30,625	31,480	30,664	28,106	28,127	27,296	25,905	22,630
No detention care	16,242	16,402	18,591	17,033	17,398	16,052	15,729	14,334
Detention care overnight or longer	14,184	10,985	10,800	10,246	10,265	10,909	10,056	8,285
Boarding home or other family home	96	41	46	232	312	444	443	372
Detention home [2]	8,798	6,197	6,605	6,276	6,636	6,585	6,109	5,565
Other institution	3,857	3,680	3,293	3,042	2,681	3,209	2,839	1,773
Jail or police station [3]	1,109	1,064	847	693	632	671	622	575
Other place of care [4]	324	2	8	3	4			
Place of care not reported		1	1				43	
Not reported whether detention care was given	199	4,093	1,273	827	464	335	120	11
Girls' cases	6,277	6,090	5,557	4,849	4,596	4,883	4,649	4,143
No detention care	2,918	2,903	2,641	2,311	2,359	2,434	2,408	2,270
Detention care overnight or longer	3,306	2,961	2,622	2,376	2,179	2,383	2,221	1,871
Boarding home or other family home	71	66	60	77	92	98	106	82
Detention home [2]	1,839	1,805	1,696	1,469	1,223	1,394	1,467	1,318
Other institution	1,102	994	777	770	828	866	606	442
Jail or police station [3]	99	61	54	57	35	23	35	25
Other place of care [4]	195	35	34	3			2	4
Place of care not reported			1		1	2	5	
Not reported whether detention care was given	53	226	294	162	58	66	20	2

[1] Includes only official cases for Franklin County, Ohio, and Pierce County, Wash., because these courts did not report unofficial cases every year.

[2] Includes cases of children cared for part of the time in detention homes and part of the time elsewhere, but excludes cases of children also held in jails or police stations.

[3] Includes a few cases of children cared for part of the time in jails or police stations and part of the time elsewhere.

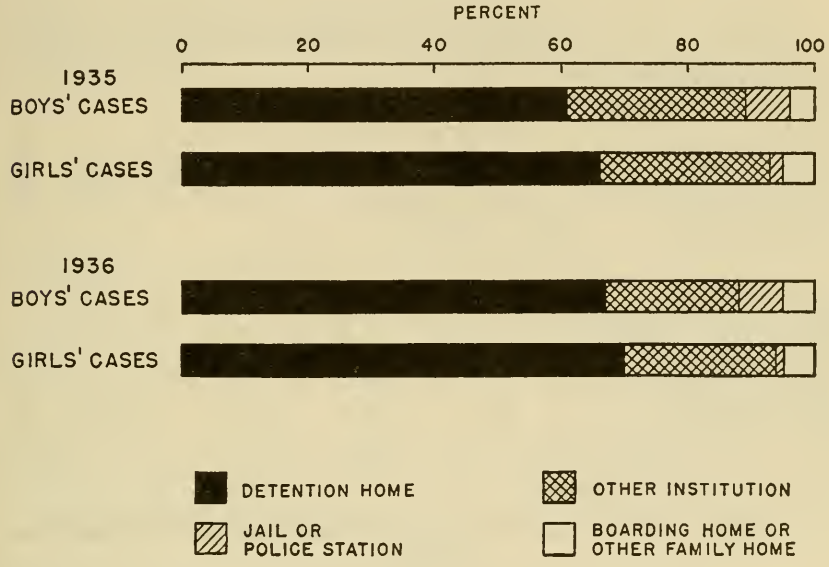
[4] Includes a few cases of children held in more than one place of care but in places other than detention homes, jails, or police stations.

The place of detention care most frequently used in each year of the period for both boys and girls was the detention home. In 1936, 67 percent of the boys and 70 percent of the girls who were detained were cared for in detention homes. "Other institutions" were second primarily because of the large number of cases reported by the New York City court, where a cooperative arrangement exists with the Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Children. Jails and police stations were third for boys, and boarding homes or other family homes were third for girls (chart 5). There has been a significant decrease from 1929 to 1936 in the use of jails and police stations for the detention of children. In 1929, boys in 1,109 cases and girls in 99 cases were detained in jails or police stations; in 1936 boys in 575 cases and girls in 25 cases were detained in such places.

The places of detention care used by the courts are dependent upon the facilities available in the local communities and upon the attitudes

with regard to the necessity for detention. In some localities practically all children brought to court in delinquency cases are detained, whereas in others only certain types of delinquencies are considered serious enough to warrant detention care for the children.

CHART 5.—PLACE OF DETENTION CARE IN BOYS' AND GIRLS' DELINQUENCY CASES DISPOSED OF BY 28 COURTS: 1935 AND 1936



Disposition of Cases.

Table J, giving the disposition of boys' and girls' delinquency cases, shows that since 1933 there has been a marked decrease in the proportion of both boys' and girls' cases dismissed, adjusted, or held open without further action. The proportion of cases disposed of in this manner in 1936 (46 percent of the boys' and 36 percent of the girls') was smaller than in any other year of the period. Among the boys' cases, the percentage in which the boy was supervised by a probation officer (33 percent) and the percentage in which the boy was committed or referred to an institution (11 percent) were larger in 1936 than in any other year.

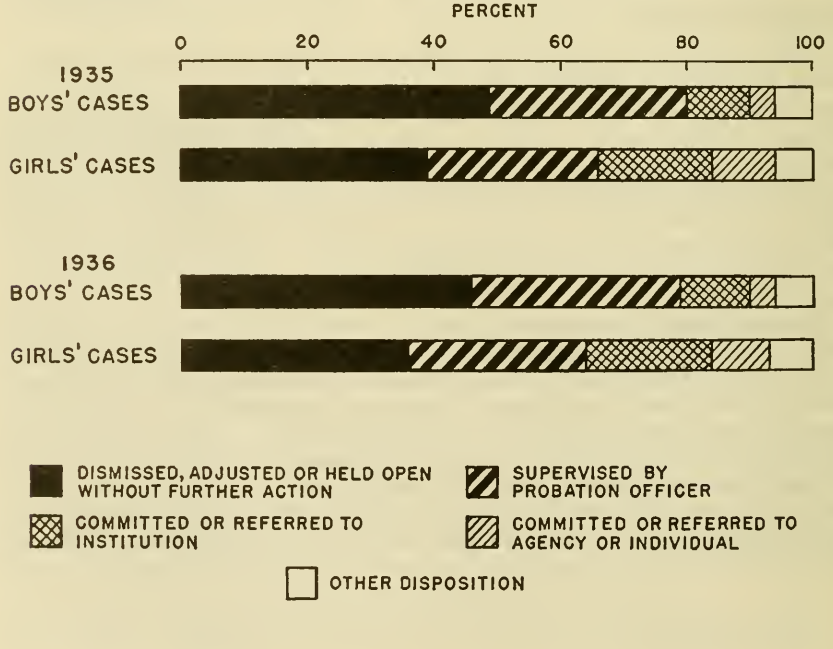
The methods of disposition of boys' and of girls' cases have differed considerably during the period. Cases dismissed, adjusted, or held open without further action have been proportionately more frequent in boys' cases than in girls' cases, whereas commitments or referrals to institutions or agencies have been more frequent in girls' cases. In 1936, 20 percent of the girls' cases were disposed of by commitment or referral to an institution, and 9 percent by commitment or referral to an agency or individual. Chart 6 indicates the disposition of the boys' and girls' cases that were dealt with by the 28 courts in 1935 and 1936.

TABLE J.—*Disposition of boys' and girls' delinquency cases dealt with by 28 courts that reported throughout the period 1929–36*[1]

Disposition of case, and sex of child	Delinquency cases disposed of							
	1929	1930	1931	1932	1933	1934	1935	1936
Total cases	36,902	37,570	36,221	32,955	32,723	32,179	30,554	26,773
Boys' cases	30,625	31,480	30,664	28,106	28,127	27,296	25,905	22,630
Dismissed, adjusted, or held open without further action	14,293	15,785	15,230	14,710	15,522	13,649	12,606	10,509
Child supervised by probation officer	9,205	8,713	8,843	7,842	7,516	8,135	8,067	7,333
Child committed or referred to an institution	2,998	3,071	2,888	2,465	2,332	2,740	2,681	2,525
Child committed or referred to an agency or individual	1,128	1,211	1,115	1,061	1,070	1,069	989	892
Restitution, fine, or costs ordered	1,824	1,601	1,087	692	484	380	334	315
Other disposition of case	1,174	1,096	1,490	1,335	1,203	1,315	1,227	1,056
Disposition not reported	3	3	11	1	--------	8	1	-------
Girls' cases	6,277	6,090	5,557	4,849	4,596	4,883	4,649	4,143
Dismissed, adjusted, or held open without further action	2,254	2,304	2,170	1,830	1,901	1,914	1,803	1,468
Child supervised by probation officer	1,873	1,806	1,580	1,496	1,329	1,318	1,265	1,169
Child committed or referred to an institution	1,190	1,135	1,030	841	765	823	812	814
Child committed or referred to an agency or individual	568	438	418	382	337	527	472	387
Restitution, fine, or costs ordered	46	39	28	29	14	22	6	12
Other disposition of case	340	365	330	270	250	278	291	293
Disposition not reported	6	3	1	1	--------	1	--------	-------

[1] Includes only official cases for Franklin County, Ohio, and Pierce County, Wash., because these courts did not report unofficial cases every year.

CHART 6.—DISPOSITION OF BOYS' AND GIRLS' DELINQUENCY CASES DEALT WITH BY 28 COURTS: 1935 AND 1936



Previous Court Experience.

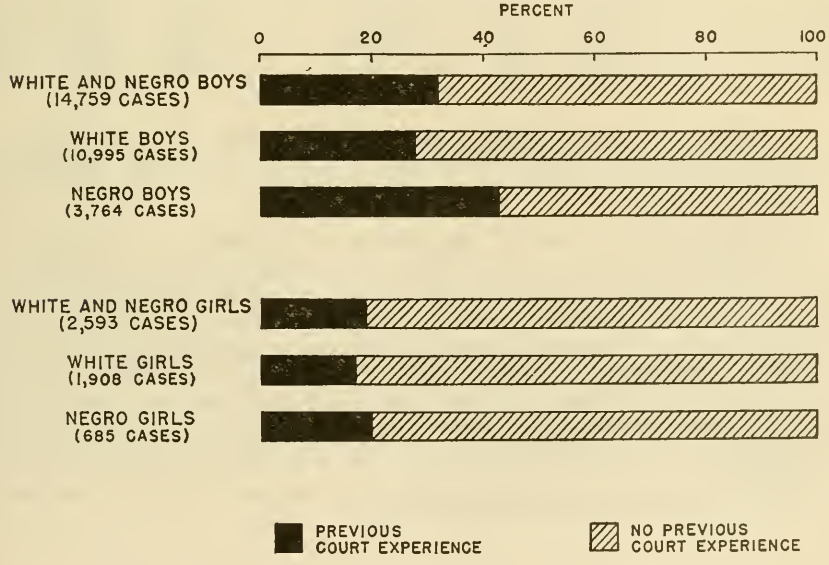
Table K shows the previous court experience as delinquents of the white and Negro boys and girls 7 to 15 years of age in cases for which this information was obtained. Cases of children 16 years of age and over are excluded, because not all the courts have jurisdiction of children of these ages. (See p. 9.)

TABLE K.—*Previous court experience of white and Negro boys and girls 7 to 15 years of age dealt with in delinquency cases disposed of by 27 courts[1] in 1936*

Sex and race of child	Delinquency cases disposed of					
	Number			Percent		
	Total	Previous court experience	No previous court experience	Total	Previous court experience	No previous court experience
Total cases	17,352	5,147	12,205	100.0	29.7	70.3
Boys' cases	14,759	4,667	10,092	100.0	31.6	68.4
White	10,995	3,054	7,941	100.0	27.8	72.2
Negro	3,764	1,613	2,151	100.0	42.9	57.1
Girls' cases	2,593	480	2,113	100.0	18.5	81.5
White	1,908	341	1,567	100.0	17.4	82.6
Negro	685	139	546	100.0	20.3	79.7

[1] All the courts that served areas with 100,000, or more population, that reported on an individual-card basis, and that cooperated throughout the period.

CHART 7.—PREVIOUS COURT EXPERIENCE OF WHITE AND NEGRO BOYS AND GIRLS' 7 TO 15 YEARS OF AGE IN DELINQUENCY CASES DISPOSED OF BY 27 COURTS IN 1936



Of the 17,352 cases of children 7 to 15 years of age coming before 27 courts during 1936, boys more frequently than girls had had previous court experience. In 32 percent of the boys' cases and 19 percent of the girls' cases the children had had court experience previously in 1936 or in earlier years (chart 7).

Among cases of Negro children, the boys in 43 percent and the girls in 20 percent of the cases had had previous court experience. The corresponding percentages among cases of white children were much smaller, the boys in 28 percent and the girls in 17 percent of the cases having had previous court experience.

TRENDS IN DEPENDENCY AND NEGLECT CASES

A general downward trend is indicated in the number of dependency and neglect cases disposed of by 27 courts [6] that reported throughout the period 1929–36 (chart 8). During 1936 there were 11,490 cases disposed of by these courts (5,865 boys' cases and 5,625 girls' cases). The decrease from 1935 to 1936 in the total number of cases disposed of amounted to 4 percent; boys' cases decreased 2 percent, and girls' cases decreased 5 percent.

Table L shows the total number of boys' and of girls' dependency and neglect cases disposed of by these 27 courts from 1929 to 1936.

TABLE L.—*Number of boys' and girls' dependency and neglect cases disposed of by 27 courts that reported throughout the period 1929–36*

Year	Dependency and neglect cases disposed of			Year	Dependency and neglect cases disposed of		
	Total	Boys	Girls		Total	Boys	Girls
1929	14,725	7,529	7,196	1933	12,618	6,491	6,127
1930	14,897	7,719	7,178	1934	12,803	6,589	6,214
1931	14,280	7,382	6,898	1935	11,917	5,989	5,928
1932	13,063	6,735	6,328	1936	11,490	5,865	5,625

In 1936, 14 of the 27 courts disposed of more, and 13 courts of fewer, cases of dependency and neglect than in 1935. However, the difference in the number of cases disposed of by most courts was small (table M, p. 22).

The gradual decrease in the number of dependency and neglect cases disposed of by the courts does not necessarily indicate that there has been an actual decrease in the number of dependent and neglected children in this reporting area. The number of such cases dealt with by the courts depends to some extent upon general economic and social conditions. The decrease, however, may be affected by such factors as the growing tendency for other child-welfare agencies to provide social treatment for dependent and neglected children and the availability of relief (both direct and work relief) from public sources.

[6] Of the 28 courts that reported delinquency cases each year from 1929 to 1936, all except the Hudson County, N. J., court reported dependency and neglect cases.

CHART 8.—BOYS' AND GIRLS' DEPENDENCY AND NEGLECT CASES DISPOSED OF BY 27 COURTS; 1926-36

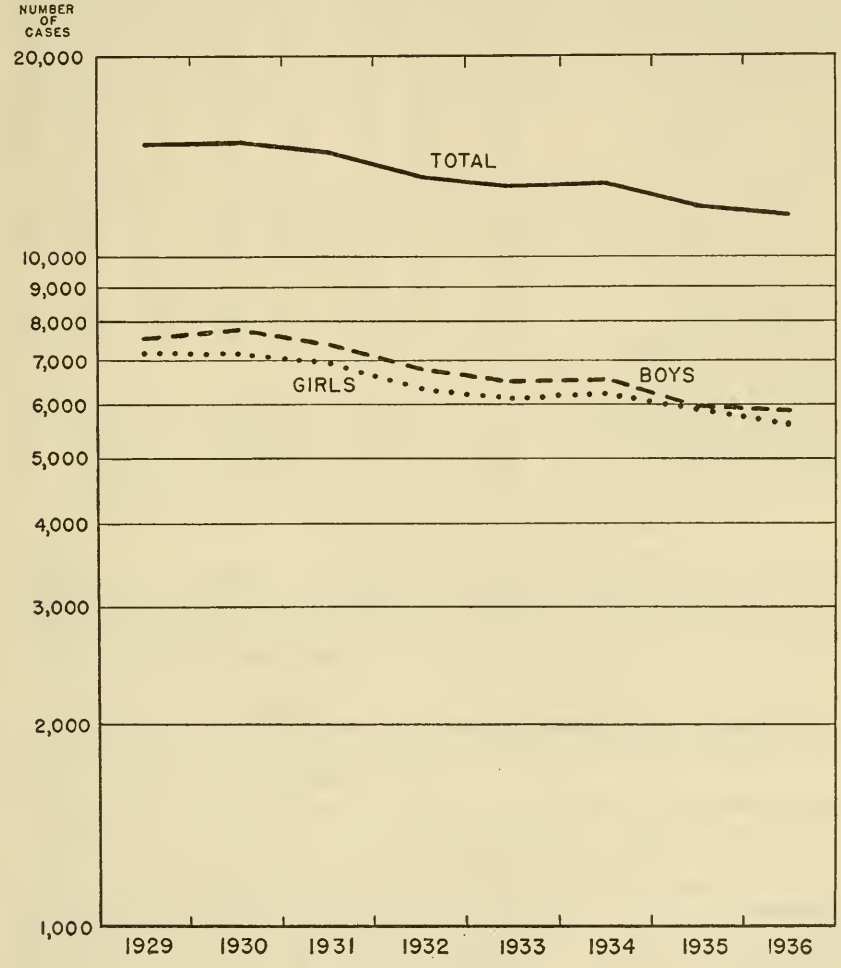


TABLE M.—*Number of dependency and neglect cases disposed of by 27 courts that served specified areas and that reported throughout the period 1929–36*

Area served by court	Dependency and neglect cases disposed of							
	1929	1930	1931	1932	1933	1934	1935	1936
Total cases	14,725	14,897	14,280	13,063	12,618	12,803	11,917	11,490
Alabama: Mobile County	9	4	5	5	20	27	55	16
California: San Diego County	438	395	349	437	393	336	471	558
Connecticut: Bridgeport (city)	70	51	49	71	58	133	144	207
District of Columbia	348	315	297	303	256	227	256	257
Indiana:								
Lake County	246	326	225	173	150	159	205	52
Marion County	282	282	242	260	189	410	182	317
Iowa: Polk County	631	559	404	278	354	433	350	296
Louisiana: Caddo Parish	107	53	155	202	190	188	111	163
Michigan: Kent County	279	338	275	236	184	195	126	208
Minnesota: Hennepin County	343	349	296	344	331	335	335	319
New York:								
Erie County	140	148	178	136	140	65	147	114
Monroe County	284	228	192	175	103	127	158	148
New York (city)	3,891	3,890	4,173	4,230	4,402	4,492	3,978	3,035
Rensselaer County	187	161	162	146	124	107	88	102
Westchester County	270	394	438	532	556	338	383	408
Ohio:								
Franklin County [1]	659	462	280	217	240	187	192	165
Hamilton County	468	442	371	344	274	246	305	459
Mahoning County	292	214	188	137	151	142	84	73
Montgomery County	385	321	348	266	285	357	332	333
Oregon: Multnomah County	443	475	646	423	685	840	672	658
Pennsylvania:								
Allegheny County	756	970	909	705	763	532	649	711
Montgomery County	13	10	7	29	55	63	91	65
Philadelphia (city and county)	3,670	4,060	3,654	2,966	2,347	2,481	2,194	2,467
South Carolina: Greenville County	114	74	58	53	87	98	86	87
Utah: Third district	130	175	172	171	109	118	136	65
Virginia: Norfolk (city)	209	152	159	180	118	124	99	138
Washington: Pierce County [1]	61	49	48	44	54	43	88	69

[1] Includes only official cases because court did not report unofficial cases every year.

Table N gives information as to the age of children dealt with in dependency and neglect cases by the 27 courts during the period 1929–36. Thirteen of the courts had jurisdiction of children under 16 years [7] of age; 3, under 17 years; 10, under 18 years; and 1, under 21 years.

TABLE N.—*Age of child when referred to court in dependency and neglect cases disposed of by 27 courts that reported throughout the period 1929–36* [1]

Age of child when referred to court	Dependency and neglect cases disposed of							
	1929	1930	1931	1932	1933	1934	1935	1936
Total cases	14,725	14,897	14,280	13,063	12,618	12,803	11,917	11,490
Under 2 years	1,743	1,811	1,767	1,629	1,475	1,580	1,435	1,394
2 years, under 4	1,915	1,815	1,664	1,619	1,532	1,382	1,330	1,195
4 years, under 6	1,957	1,934	1,730	1,690	1,535	1,540	1,421	1,348
6 years, under 8	2,029	2,027	1,893	1,723	1,750	1,662	1,583	1,439
8 years, under 10	2,056	2,093	1,949	1,728	1,742	1,788	1,575	1,517
10 years, under 12	1,677	1,784	1,854	1,631	1,575	1,697	1,602	1,500
12 years, under 14	1,639	1,656	1,479	1,451	1,457	1,611	1,410	1,449
14 years, under 16	1,257	1,338	1,257	1,132	1,197	1,235	1,285	1,394
16 years and over	204	217	205	255	297	272	245	233
Not reported	248	222	482	205	58	36	31	21

[1] Includes only official cases for Franklin County, Ohio, and Pierce County, Wash., because these courts did not report unofficial cases every year.

[7] The 2 reporting courts in Indiana had jurisdiction of boys under 16 years, girls under 17 years.

There was little change from year to year in the proportion of cases in each age group. The cases were distributed fairly evenly in each of the age groups under 16 years of age. The percentage of children 16 years of age and over was very small, 2 percent in each year of the period.

Table O shows the race and nativity of the children dealt with in dependency and neglect cases. In each year of the period the great majority of the children were white. In more than half of these cases the children were native white of native parentage, the next largest group being native white children of foreign or mixed parentage. The foreign-born group was small, accounting for between 1 and 2 percent of the cases in each year of the period. Cases of Negro children constituted slightly more than 15 percent of the total number of cases in each year.

TABLE O.—*Race, nativity, and parent nativity of children dealt with in dependency cases disposed of by 27 courts that reported throughout the period 1929–36* [1]

Race, nativity, and parent nativity of child	Dependency cases disposed of							
	1929	1930	1931	1932	1933	1934	1935	1936
Total cases	14,725	14,897	14,280	13,063	12,618	12,803	11,917	11,490
White	12,471	12,469	11,955	10,904	10,600	10,774	10,048	9,397
Native	11,940	12,096	11,630	10,635	10,308	10,550	9,884	9,273
Native parentage	7,310	7,441	6,953	6,409	6,185	6,493	6,157	6,452
Foreign or mixed parentage	4,500	4,365	4,380	3,883	3,671	3,413	3,226	2,535
Parentage not specified	130	290	297	343	452	644	501	286
Foreign born	173	193	221	209	263	173	144	109
Nativity not specified	358	180	104	60	29	51	20	15
Negro	2,084	2,405	2,296	2,125	1,965	1,978	1,833	2,055
Other	28	23	28	34	53	51	36	38
Not specified	142		1					

[1] Includes only official cases for Franklin County, Ohio, and Pierce County, Wash., because these courts did not report unofficial cases every year.

Approximately three-fourths of the children dealt with in dependency and neglect cases were living in their own homes. Table P shows that in nearly three-fifths of these cases the children were living with one parent only.

Table Q shows that in 1936 almost one-third of the dependency cases (31 percent) were dismissed, adjusted, or held open without further action. In slightly less than one-fourth of the cases the child was supervised by a probation officer in the child's own home or in another family home. In 1936 the percentage of cases of dependent and neglected children (29 percent) in which the children were committed or referred to an agency or individual was larger than in any other year of the 8-year period.

TABLE P.—*Marital status of parents and place where child was living when referred to court in dependency and neglect cases disposed of by 27 courts that reported throughout the period 1929–36* [1]

Marital status of parents and place where child was living when referred to court	Dependency and neglect cases disposed of							
	1929	1930	1931	1932	1933	1934	1935	1936
Total cases	14,725	14,897	14,280	13,063	12,618	12,803	11,917	11,490
Marital status and place reported	12,082	13,261	12,193	10,831	10,330	10,679	10,056	10,107
Child living in own home	9,451	10,353	9,461	8,348	7,823	8,022	7,407	7,387
With both own parents	3,002	3,277	3,130	3,092	2,781	2,903	2,866	2,684
With 1 parent and a stepparent	442	488	396	316	344	359	389	422
With 1 parent only	6,007	6,588	5,935	4,940	4,698	4,760	4,152	4,281
Father dead	686	750	689	511	506	602	445	547
Mother dead	1,089	1,071	847	764	751	753	707	694
Parents divorced	413	328	334	287	305	349	312	273
Father deserting mother	1,048	1,241	959	687	609	459	380	468
Mother deserting father	529	517	435	332	317	305	243	325
Parents not married to each other	486	598	687	567	511	543	518	469
Parents living apart for other or not specified reasons	1,756	2,083	1,984	1,792	1,699	1,749	1,547	1,505
Child living in other place	2,631	2,908	2,732	2,483	2,507	2,657	2,649	2,720
Marital status and place not reported	2,643	1,636	2,087	2,232	2,288	2,124	1,861	1,383

[1] Includes only official cases for Franklin County, Ohio, and Pierce County, Wash., because these courts did not report unofficial cases every year.

TABLE Q.—*Disposition of case in dependency and neglect cases disposed of by 27 courts that reported throughout the period 1929–36* [1]

Disposition of case	Dependency and neglect cases disposed of							
	1929	1930	1931	1932	1933	1934	1935	1936
Total cases	14,725	14,897	14,280	13,063	12,618	12,803	11,917	11,490
Dismissed, adjusted, or held open without further action	4,178	4,530	4,103	4,532	4,327	4,237	3,635	3,536
Child supervised by probation officer	2,960	3,039	2,914	2,564	2,539	2,423	2,644	2,668
Child committed or referred to institution	3,264	3,240	3,185	2,630	2,843	2,843	2,408	1,858
Child committed or referred to agency or individual	4,152	3,852	3,863	3,131	2,666	3,090	3,016	3,304
Other disposition of case	162	232	214	206	243	192	213	124
Disposition not reported	9	4	1	-------	-------	18	1	-------

[1] Includes only official cases for Franklin County, Ohio, and Pierce County, Wash., because these courts did not report unofficial cases every year.

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TABLE 1.—*Age under which court has original jurisdiction and age when referred to court of boys and girls dealt with in delinquency cases disposed of by 364 courts during 1935* [1]

Age of child when referred to court	Delinquency cases									
	Total		Age under which court has original jurisdiction [2]							
			16 years		17 years		18 years		21 years	
	Boys	Girls	Boys	Girls	Boys	Girls	Boys	Girls	Boys	Girls
Total cases	60,480	10,995	27,426	3,446	13,250	1,568	15,830	4,934	3,974	1,047
Under 10 years	3,255	362	1,891	157	478	44	814	144	72	17
10 years	3,176	245	1,792	103	582	30	726	100	76	12
11 years	4,454	352	2,501	150	884	46	973	145	96	11
12 years	5,929	652	3,229	277	1,245	88	1,287	253	168	34
13 years	8,388	1,196	4,610	471	1,772	178	1,732	467	274	80
14 years	11,140	2,214	5,801	904	2,477	329	2,408	834	454	147
15 years	12,916	3,007	6,738	1,203	2,904	412	2,629	1,172	645	220
16 years	6,779	1,731	475	110	2,713	396	2,711	998	880	227
17 years	3,581	1,019	126	19	64	8	2,363	769	1,028	223
18 years and over	389	117	15	3	18	6	126	39	230	69
Not reported	473	100	248	49	113	31	61	13	51	7

[1] Of the 364 courts reporting delinquency cases, 357 reported boys' cases and 305 reported girls' cases.
[2] Some courts have jurisdiction under special circumstances beyond the age specified; also courts occasionally deal informally with children who are just beyond the age of juvenile-court jurisdiction.

TABLE 2.—*Age when referred to court of white and colored boys and girls dealt with in delinquency cases disposed of by 67 courts in 1935* [1]

Age of child when referred to court	Delinquency cases							
	Total	Boys				Girls			
		White		Colored		White		Colored	
		Number	Percent distribution	Number	Percent distribution	Number	Percent distribution	Number	Percent distribution
Total cases	53,176	33,425		11,435		6,194		2,122	
Age reported	53,042	33,350	100	11,393	100	6,186	100	2,113	100
Under 10 years	2,680	1,727	5	695	6	205	3	53	3
10 years	2,604	1,608	5	815	7	125	2	56	3
11 years	3,629	2,351	7	1,010	9	178	3	90	4
12 years	4,852	3,044	9	1,280	11	339	5	189	9
13 years	7,292	4,453	13	1,925	17	624	10	290	14
14 years	9,972	6,086	18	2,222	20	1,159	19	505	24
15 years	11,894	7,372	22	2,251	20	1,713	28	558	26
16 years	5,893	3,818	11	788	7	1,045	17	242	11
17 years	3,902	2,695	8	369	3	719	12	119	6
18 years and over	324	196	1	38	[2]	79	1	11	1
Age not reported	134	75		42		8		9	

[1] Of the 364 courts reporting delinquency cases, data for correlating age and color were available only for the 66 courts that reported on an individual-card basis and for 1 additional court.
[2] Less than 1 percent.

TABLE 3.—*Color and nativity of boys and girls dealt with in delinquency cases disposed of by 68 courts and by 27 courts that served areas with 10,000 or more Negro population* [1] *in 1935* [2]

Color and nativity of child	Delinquency cases									
	All courts reporting nativity and color [2]					Courts reporting nativity and color serving areas with 10,000 or more Negro population [2]				
	Total	Boys		Girls		Total	Boys		Girls	
		Number	Percent distribution	Number	Percent distribution		Number	Percent distribution	Number	Percent distribution
Total cases	55,693	46,814	100	8,879	100	37,550	32,048	100	5,502	100
White	42,003	35,283	75	6,720	76	25,110	21,503	67	3,607	66
Native born	40,441	33,958	73	6,483	73	23,887	20,451	64	3,436	62
Foreign born	766	643	1	123	1	530	458	1	72	1
Nativity not reported	796	682	1	114	1	693	594	2	99	2
Colored	13,690	11,531	25	2,159	24	12,440	10,545	33	1,895	34
Negro	13,614	11,475	25	2,139	24	12,428	10,534	33	1,894	34
Other	76	56	[3]	20	[3]	12	11	[3]	1	[3]

[1] According to the 1930 census.
[2] Of the 364 courts reporting delinquency cases, information on nativity and color was available only for the 66 courts that reported on an individual-card basis and for 2 additional courts; only 27 of these served areas with 10,000 or more Negro population.
[3] Less than 1 percent.

TABLE 4.—*Parent nativity of native white boys and girls dealt with in delinquency cases disposed of by 68 courts in 1935* [1]

Parent nativity	Delinquency cases of native white children				
	Total	Boys		Girls	
		Number	Percent distribution	Number	Percent distribution
Total cases	40,441	33,958		6,483	
Parent nativity reported	38,614	32,518	100	6,096	100
Native parentage	24,434	19,994	61	4,440	73
Foreign or mixed parentage	14,180	12,524	39	1,656	27
Parent nativity not reported	1,827	1,440		387	

[1] Of the 364 courts reporting delinquency cases, information on parent nativity was available only for the 66 courts that reported on an individual-card basis and for 2 additional courts.

TABLE 5.—*Place where boys and girls were living when referred to court in delinquency cases disposed of by 68 courts in 1935* [1]

Place where child was living when referred to court	Delinquency cases				
	Total	Boys		Girls	
		Number	Percent distribution	Number	Percent distribution
Total cases	55,693	46,814		8,879	
Place reported	53,257	44,837	100	8,420	100
In own home	48,120	41,263	92	6,857	81
With both own parents	31,136	27,538	61	3,598	43
With mother and step father	3,174	2,511	6	663	8
With father and stepmother	1,251	995	2	256	3
With mother only	9,682	7,899	18	1,783	21
With father only	2,877	2,320	5	557	7
In other family home	3,745	2,598	6	1,147	14
In institution	693	484	1	209	2
In other place	699	492	1	207	2
Place not reported	2,436	1,977		459	

[1] Of the 364 courts reporting delinquency cases, information on the place where the child was living when referred to court was available only for the 66 courts that reported on an individual-card basis and for 2 additional courts.

TABLE 6.—*Marital status of parents of boys and girls dealt with in delinquency cases disposed of by 67 courts in 1935* [1]

Marital status of parents	Delinquency cases				
	Total	Boys		Girls	
		Number	Percent distribution	Number	Percent distribution
Total cases	53,176	44,860		8,316	
Status reported	50,355	42,603	100	7,752	100
Parents married and living together	30,791	27,131	64	3,660	47
One or both parents dead	11,334	9,082	21	2,252	29
Both dead	996	753	2	243	3
Father dead	6,531	5,362	13	1,169	15
Mother dead	3,807	2,967	7	840	11
Parents separated	7,377	5,763	14	1,614	21
Divorced	3,098	2,303	5	795	10
Father deserting mother	1,484	1,216	3	268	3
Mother deserting father	213	151	[2]	62	1
Other reasons	2,582	2,093	5	489	6
Parents not married to each other	835	614	1	221	3
Other status	18	13	[2]	5	[2]
Status not reported	2,821	2,257		564	

[1] Of the 364 courts reporting delinquency cases, information on marital status of parents was available only for the 66 courts reporting on an individual-card basis and for 1 additional court.
[2] Less than 1 percent.

TABLE 7.—*Marital status of parents, classified according to place where child was living when referred to court; boys' and girls' delinquency cases disposed of by 67 courts in 1935* [1]

Marital status of parents, and sex of child	Delinquency cases										
		Place where child was living when referred to court									
		In own home						In other family home	In institution	In other place	Not reported
	Total	Total	With both own parents	With mother and stepfather	With father and stepmother	With mother only	With father only				
Total cases	53,176	46,159	30,136	2,968	1,179	9,141	2,735	3,467	683	456	2,411
Boys' cases	44,860	39,675	26,686	2,351	940	7,492	2,206	2,442	478	309	1,956
Parents married and living together	27,131	26,667	26,667	------	------	------	------	153	163	148	------
Both parents dead	753	------	------	------	------	------	------	683	35	32	3
Father dead	5,362	5,038	------	1,333	------	3 705	------	240	50	33	1
Mother dead	2,967	2,327	------	------	736	------	1,591	529	72	37	2
Parents divorced	2,303	2,048	1	861	181	834	171	174	54	26	1
Father deserting mother	1,216	1,146	------	6	1	1,130	9	55	12	3	------
Mother deserting father	151	135	------	------	3	19	113	13	1	2	------
Parents separated for other reasons	2,093	1,742	------	------	------	1,482	260	274	68	6	3
Parents not married to each other	614	385	18	80	6	261	20	216	10	3	------
Other status	13	2	------	1	------	1	------	6	5	------	------
Status not reported	2,257	185	------	70	13	60	42	99	8	19	1,946
Girls' cases	8,316	6,484	3,450	617	239	1,649	529	1,025	205	147	455
Parents married and living together	3,660	3,445	3,445	------	------	------	------	92	55	68	------
Both parents dead	243	------	------	------	------	------	------	216	16	10	1
Father dead	1,169	1,032	------	300	------	732	------	91	25	21	------
Mother dead	840	561	------	------	190	------	371	232	35	9	3
Parents divorced	795	654	------	271	46	284	53	91	29	20	1
Father deserting mother	268	240	------	1	------	235	4	26	2	------	------
Mother deserting father	62	38	------	------	------	12	26	17	7	------	------
Parents separated for other reasons	489	362	------	------	------	300	62	101	20	6	------
Parents not married to each other	221	104	5	25	1	70	3	98	10	8	1
Other status	5	1	------	1	------	------	------	4	------	------	------
Status not reported	564	47	------	19	2	16	10	57	6	5	449

[1] Of the 364 courts reporting delinquency cases, data for correlating marital status of parents and place where child was living when referred to court were available only for the 66 courts that reported on an individual-card basis and for 1 additional court.

TABLE 8.—*Source of reference to court of delinquency cases disposed of by 68 courts in 1935* [1]

Source of reference to court	Delinquency cases	
	Total	Percent distribution
Total cases	55,693	
Source reported	55,685	100
Police	35,737	64
School department	3,486	5
Probation officer	1,477	3
Other court	1,174	2
Social agency	1,097	2
Parents or relatives	4,866	9
Individual	7,642	14
Other source	206	(2)
Source not reported	8	

[1] Of the 364 courts reporting delinquency cases, information on source of reference to court was available only for the 66 courts that reported on an individual-card basis and for 2 additional courts.
[2] Less than 1 percent.

TABLE 9.—*Reason for reference to court of boys and girls dealt with in delinquency cases disposed of by 364 courts in 1935* [1]

Reason for reference to court	Delinquency cases				
	Total	Boys		Girls	
		Number	Percent distribution	Number	Percent distribution
Total	71,475	60,480		10,995	
Reason reported	71,188	60,303	100	10,885	100
Automobile stealing	2,125	2,113	4	12	(2)
Burglary or unlawful entry	8,986	8,910	15	76	1
Hold-up	413	412	1	1	(2)
Other stealing	19,721	18,471	31	1,250	11
Act of carelessness or mischief	15,604	14,584	24	1,020	9
Traffic violation	2,771	2,627	4	144	1
Truancy	4,140	2,953	5	1,187	11
Running away	4,560	2,943	5	1,617	15
Ungovernable	6,562	3,683	6	2,879	26
Sex offense	3,365	1,162	2	2,203	20
Injury to person	1,652	1,415	2	237	2
Use, possession, or sale of liquor or drugs	446	302	1	144	1
Other reason	843	728	1	115	1
Reason not reported	287	177		110	

[1] Of the 364 courts reporting delinquency cases, 357 reported boys' cases and 305 reported girls' cases.
[2] Less than 1 percent.

TABLE 10.—*Reason for reference to court of boys and girls of each age period dealt with in delinquency cases disposed of by 67 courts in 1935* [1]

Reason for reference to court, and sex of child	Delinquency cases							
	Total	Age of child when referred to court						
		Under 10 years	10 years, under 12	12 years, under 14	14 years, under 16	16 years, under 18	18 years and over	Age not reported
Total cases	53,176	2,680	6,233	12,144	21,866	9,795	324	134
Boys' cases	44,860	2,422	5,784	10,702	17,931	7,670	234	117
Automobile stealing	1,526	11	36	155	756	549	19	
Burglary or unlawful entry	6,024	264	794	1,594	2,560	784	22	6
Hold-up	361	5	27	92	178	59		
Other stealing	13,668	705	1,958	3,645	5,365	1,898	70	27
Act of carelessness or mischief	11,326	898	1,785	2,974	4,331	1,257	37	44
Traffic violation	1,754	2	10	33	280	1,387	37	5
Truancy	1,928	55	140	339	963	426	4	1
Running away	2,580	108	350	609	1,119	380	7	7
Ungovernable	3,052	218	427	753	1,314	326	11	3
Sex offense	788	64	76	143	297	195	13	
Injury to person	1,052	71	136	263	416	139	7	20
Use, possession, or sale of liquor or drugs	239		2	17	63	155	1	1
Other reason	441	13	30	58	218	114	6	2
Reason not reported	121	8	13	27	71	1		1
Girls' cases	8,316	258	449	1,442	3,935	2,125	90	17
Automobile stealing	9			1	8			
Burglary or unlawful entry	52	1	7	19	22	3		
Hold-up	1					1		
Other stealing	968	44	111	250	405	154	3	1
Act of carelessness or mischief	834	82	92	185	330	137	5	3
Traffic violation	115			2	20	89	4	
Truancy	884	13	23	108	481	256	2	1
Running away	1,367	12	48	199	715	372	20	1
Ungovernable	2,373	44	84	427	1,225	565	25	3
Sex offense	1,256	43	59	167	525	435	26	1
Injury to person	196	12	11	45	78	42	1	7
Use, possession, or sale of liquor or drugs	98		1	8	44	43	2	
Other reason	63	1	3	9	23	25	2	
Reason not reported	100	6	10	22	59	3		

[1] Of the 364 courts reporting delinquency cases, data for correlating reason for reference to court and age of child were available only for the 66 courts that reported on an individual-card basis and for 1 additional court.

TABLE 11.—*Reason for reference to court, and color of boys and girls dealt with in delinquency cases disposed of by 68 courts in 1935* [1]

Reason for reference to court, and sex of child	Delinquency cases					
	Total		White children		Colored children	
	Number	Percent distribution	Number	Percent distribution	Number	Percent distribution
Total cases	55,693		42,003		13,690	
Boys' cases	46,814		35,283		11,531	
Reason reported	46,693	100	35,201	100	11,492	100
Automobile stealing	1,799	4	1,506	4	293	3
Burglary or unlawful entry	6,477	14	4,965	14	1,512	13
Hold-up	361	1	163	[2]	198	2
Other stealing	14,088	30	9,969	28	4,119	36
Act of carelessness or mischief	11,407	24	8,588	24	2,819	25
Traffic violation	2,170	5	2,087	6	83	1
Truancy	2,006	4	1,758	5	248	2
Running away	2,580	6	1,958	6	622	5
Ungovernable	3,115	7	2,201	6	914	8
Sex offense	883	2	707	2	176	2
Injury to person	1,061	2	647	2	414	4
Use, possession, or sale of liquor or drugs	242	1	212	1	30	[2]
Other reason	504	1	440	1	64	1
Reason not reported	121		82		39	
Girls' cases	8,879		6,720		2,159	
Reason reported	8,779	100	6,666	100	2,113	100
Automobile stealing	10	[2]	9	[2]	1	[2]
Burglary or unlawful entry	55	1	31	[2]	24	1
Hold-up	1	[2]	1	[2]		
Other stealing	998	11	688	10	310	15
Act of carelessness or mischief	852	10	570	9	282	13
Traffic violation	136	2	131	2	5	[2]
Truancy	891	10	783	12	108	5
Running away	1,367	16	1,072	16	295	14
Ungovernable	2,396	27	1,762	26	634	30
Sex offense	1,705	19	1,412	21	293	14
Injury to person	197	2	60	1	137	6
Use, possession, or sale of liquor or drugs	103	1	84	1	19	1
Other reason	68	1	63	1	5	[2]
Reason not reported	100		54		46	

[1] Of the 364 courts reporting delinquency cases, data for correlating reason for reference to court and color of child were available only for the 66 courts that reported on an individual-card basis and for 2 additional courts.
[2] Less than 1 percent.

TABLE 12.—*Court experience of boys and girls dealt with in delinquency cases disposed of by 68 courts in 1935* [1]

Court experience	Delinquency cases			
	Boys		Girls	
	Number	Percent distribution	Number	Percent distribution
Total cases	46,814	100	8,879	100
First 1935 court experience	40,710	87	8,257	93
Child having no court experience previous to 1935	29,650	63	7,018	79
Child having 1 or more court experiences previous to 1935	10,584	23	1,132	13
Court experience previous to 1935 not reported	476	1	107	1
Subsequent 1935 court experience	6,104	13	622	7

[1] Of the 364 courts reporting delinquency cases, information on previous court experience was available only for the 66 courts that reported on an individual-card basis and for 2 additional courts.

TABLE 13.—*Place of care pending hearing or disposition, and age when referred to court of boys and girls dealt with in delinquency cases disposed of by 68 courts in 1935* [1]

Place of care, and sex of child	Delinquency cases										
	Total		Age of child when referred to court								Age not reported
			Under 14 years		14 years, under 16		16 years, under 18		18 years and over		
	Number	Percent distribution	Number	Percent distribution	Number	Percent distribution	Number	Percent distribution	Number	Percent distribution	
Total cases	55,693		21,436		22,628		10,933		506		190
Boys' cases	46,814		19,213		18,489		8,557		389		166
Report on detention care	45,594	100	19,014	100	18,127	100	8,018	100	318	100	117
No detention care	27,853	61	12,712	67	10,508	58	4,388	55	139	44	106
Detention care overnight or longer	17,741	39	6,302	33	7,619	42	3,630	45	179	56	11
Boarding home or other family home	466	1	149	1	281	2	36	(2)			
Detention home [3]	12,297	27	4,661	25	5,220	29	2,335	29	76	24	5
Other institution	3,034	7	1,290	7	1,661	9	80	1	3	1	
Jail or police station [4]	1,591	3	95	(2)	330	2	1,066	13	99	31	1
Other place of care [5]	310	1	85	(2)	108	1	113	1	1	(2)	3
Place of care not reported	43	(2)	22	(2)	19	(2)					2
No report on detention care	1,220		199		362		539		71		49
Girls' cases	8,879		2,223		4,139		2,376		117		24
Report on detention care	8,668	100	2,195	100	4,062	100	2,286	100	106	100	19
No detention care	4,745	55	1,367	62	2,077	51	1,243	54	43	41	15
Detention care overnight or longer	3,923	45	828	38	1,985	49	1,043	46	63	59	4
Boarding home or other family home	137	2	24	1	75	2	37	2	1	1	
Detention home [3]	2,776	32	562	26	1,337	33	822	36	51	48	4
Other institution	826	10	221	10	504	12	96	4	5	5	
Jail or police station [4]	101	1	7	(2)	37	1	52	2	5	5	
Other place of care [5]	76	1	8	(2)	31	1	36	2	1	1	
Place of care not reported	7	(2)	6	(2)	1	(2)					
No report on detention care	211		28		77		90		11		5

[1] Of the 364 courts reporting delinquency cases, data for correlating place of detention care and age of child were available only for the 66 courts that reported on an individual-card basis and for 2 additional courts.

[2] Less than 1 percent.

[3] Includes cases of children cared for part of the time in detention homes and part of the time elsewhere, but excludes cases of children also held in jails or police stations.

[4] Includes a few cases of children cared for part of the time in jails or police stations and part of the time elsewhere.

[5] Includes a few cases of children held in more than 1 place of care but in places other than detention homes, jails, or police stations.

TABLE 14.—*Disposition and manner of handling delinquency cases disposed of by 364 courts in 1935* [1]

Disposition of case	Delinquency cases					
	Total		Official		Unofficial	
	Number	Percent distribution	Number	Percent distribution	Number	Percent distribution
Total cases	71,475		49,031		22,444	
Disposition reported	71,473	100	49,030	100	22,443	100
Child kept under supervision of court	27,753	39	24,633	50	3,120	14
Probation officer supervising	25,425	36	22,433	46	2,992	13
Agency or individual supervising	974	1	921	2	53	(2)
Under temporary care of an institution	1,354	2	1,279	3	75	(2)
Child not kept under supervision of court	38,159	53	20,231	41	17,928	80
Case dismissed or adjusted	25,666	36	10,918	22	14,748	66
Committed to—						
State institution for delinquents	3,400	5	3,400	7		
Other institution for delinquents	2,287	3	2,287	5		
Penal institution	68	(2)	68	(2)		
Other institution	352	(2)	352	1		
Agency or individual	636	1	636	1		
Referred without commitment to—						
Institution	368	1	209	(2)	159	1
Agency or individual	1,469	2	528	1	941	4
Referred to other court	490	1	330	1	160	1
Restitution, fine, or costs ordered	923	1	682	1	241	1
Runaway returned	1,894	3	409	1	1,485	7
Other disposition of case	606	1	412	1	194	1
Case held open without further action	5,561	8	4,166	8	1,395	6
Disposition not reported	2		1		1	

[1] Of the 364 courts reporting delinquency cases, 360 reported official cases and 99 unofficial cases.
[2] Less than 1 percent.

TABLE 15.—*Disposition of cases of boys and of girls of each age period dealt with in delinquency cases disposed of by 67 courts in 1935* [1]

Disposition of case, and sex of child	Delinquency cases							
	Total	Age of child when referred to court						
		Under 10 years	10 years, under 12	12 years, under 14	14 years, under 16	16 years, under 18	18 years and over	Age not reported
Total cases	53,176	2,680	6,233	12,144	21,866	9,795	324	134
Boys' cases	44,860	2,422	5,784	10,702	17,931	7,670	234	117
Dismissed, adjusted, or held open without further action	22,003	1,579	3,155	5,169	8,009	3,880	133	78
Supervised by probation officer	13,954	471	1,648	3,476	6,178	2,112	62	7
Committed or referred to an institution	4,590	118	422	1,135	2,167	726	20	2
Committed or referred to an agency or individual	1,681	140	268	420	600	251	1	1
Restitution, fine, or costs ordered	697	39	73	130	206	227	2	20
Other disposition	1,934	75	218	371	771	474	16	9
Disposition not reported	1			1				
Girls' cases	8,316	258	449	1,442	3,935	2,125	90	17
Dismissed, adjusted, or held open without further action	3,243	164	224	561	1,379	867	40	8
Supervised by probation officer	2,464	40	114	450	1,317	521	20	2
Committed or referred to an institution	1,343	16	47	235	693	335	17	
Committed or referred to an agency or individual	702	16	36	111	319	213	6	1
Restitution, fine, or costs ordered	52	9	4	7	13	13		6
Other disposition	511	13	23	78	214	176	7	
Disposition not reported	1		1					

[1] Of the 364 courts reporting delinquency cases, data for correlating disposition of case and age of child were available only for the 66 courts that reported on an individual-card basis and for 1 additional court.

TABLE 16.—*Disposition and reason for reference to court of boys' and girls' delinquency cases disposed of by 67 courts in 1935* [1]

Disposition of case and sex of child	Delinquency cases											
		Reason for reference to court										
	Total	Stealing	Act of carelessness or mischief	Traffic violation	Truancy	Running away	Ungovernable	Sex offense	Injury to person	Use, possession, or sale of liquor or drugs	Other reason	Reason not reported
Total cases	53,176	22,609	12,160	1,869	2,812	3,947	5,425	2,044	1,248	337	504	221
Boys' cases	44,860	21,579	11,326	1,754	1,928	2,580	3,052	788	1,052	239	441	121
Dismissed, adjusted, or held open without further action	22,003	8,005	8,913	1,359	915	404	968	310	599	128	363	39
Supervised by probation officer	13,954	9,206	1,606	183	655	432	1,091	318	292	63	38	70
Committed or referred to an institution	4,590	2,912	262	6	194	242	741	109	82	14	16	12
Committed or referred to an agency or individual	1,681	874	238	3	153	118	226	26	19	9	15	----
Restitution, fine, or costs ordered	697	287	232	91	1	3	5	6	49	19	4	----
Other disposition	1,934	295	75	112	10	1,381	21	19	10	6	5	----
Disposition not reported	1	----	----	----	----	----	----	----	1	----	----	----
Girls' cases	8,316	1,030	834	115	884	1,367	2,373	1,256	196	98	63	100
Dismissed, adjusted, or held open without further action	3,243	415	641	105	474	227	809	369	115	34	26	28
Supervised by probation officer	2,464	405	108	3	266	399	786	331	52	43	16	55
Committed or referred to an institution	1,343	99	22	1	47	232	525	368	11	12	11	15
Committed or referred to an agency or individual	702	72	46	----	90	115	221	135	7	5	10	1
Restitution, fine, or costs ordered	52	23	10	2	----	----	2	3	10	2	----	----
Other disposition	511	16	7	4	7	394	30	49	1	2	----	1
Disposition not reported	1	----	----	----	----	----	----	1	----	----	----	----

[1] Of the 364 courts reporting delinquency cases, data for correlating disposition of case and reason for reference to court were available only for the 66 courts that reported on an individual-card basis and for 1 additional court.

TABLE 17.—*Disposition of case classified according to color of boys and girls dealt with in delinquency cases disposed of by 68 courts in 1935* [1]

Disposition of case, and sex of child	Delinquency cases					
	Total		White children		Colored children	
	Number	Percent distribution	Number	Percent distribution	Number	Percent distribution
Total cases	55,693		42,003		13,690	
Boys' cases	46,814		35,283		11,531	
Disposition reported	46,813	100	35,282	100	11,531	100
Dismissed, adjusted, or held open without further action	22,417	48	17,150	49	5,267	46
Supervised by probation officer	15,162	32	11,754	33	3,408	30
Committed or referred to an institution	4,828	10	3,181	9	1,647	14
Committed or referred to an agency or individual	1,733	4	1,164	3	569	5
Restitution, fine, or costs ordered	697	1	555	2	142	1
Other disposition	1,976	4	1,478	4	498	4
Disposition not reported	1		1			
Girls' cases	8,879		6,720		2,159	
Disposition reported	8,878	100	6,719	100	2,159	100
Dismissed, adjusted, or held open without further action	3,291	37	2,402	36	889	41
Supervised by probation officer	2,868	32	2,214	33	654	30
Committed or referred to an institution	1,434	16	1,111	17	323	15
Committed or referred to an agency or individual	719	8	536	8	183	8
Restitution, fine, or costs ordered	52	1	28	[2]	24	1
Other disposition	514	6	428	6	86	4
Disposition not reported	1		1			

[1] Of the 364 courts reporting delinquency cases, data for correlating disposition of case and color of child were available only for the 66 courts that reported on an individual-card basis and for 2 additional courts.
[2] Less than 1 percent.

DEPENDENCY AND NEGLECT CASES, 1935

TABLE 18.—*Age when referred to court of children dealt with in dependency and neglect cases disposed of by 177 courts in 1935*

Age of child when referred to court	Dependency and neglect cases	
	Number	Percent distribution
Total cases	24,019	
Age reported	23,973	100
Under 2 years	2,741	11
2 years, under 4	2,579	11
4 years, under 6	2,857	12
6 years, under 8	3,108	13
8 years, under 10	3,188	13
10 years, under 12	3,172	13
12 years, under 14	2,828	12
14 years, under 16	2,700	11
16 years and over	800	3
Age not reported	46	

TABLE 19.—*Reason for reference to court of children dealt with in dependency and neglect cases disposed of by 177 courts in 1935*

Reason for reference to court	Dependency and neglect cases	
	Number	Percent distribution
Total cases	24,019	100
Without adequate care or support from parent or guardian	17,802	74
Living under conditions injurious to morals	2,666	11
Physically handicapped and in need of public care	2,201	9
Abandonment or desertion	597	2
Abuse or cruel treatment	731	3
Other reasons	22	(1)

[1] Less than 1 percent.

TABLE 20.—*Color and nativity of children dealt with in dependency and neglect cases disposed of by 59 courts in 1935* [1]

Color and nativity of child	Dependency and neglect cases	
	Number	Percent distribution
Total cases	19,412	100
White	16,791	86
Native born	16,284	84
Foreign born	174	1
Nativity not reported	333	2
Colored	2,621	14
Negro	2,502	13
Other	119	1

[1] Of the 177 courts reporting dependency and neglect cases, information on color and nativity of child was available only for the 57 courts that reported on an individual-card basis and for 2 additional courts.

TABLE 21.—*Place where child was living when referred to court in dependency and neglect cases disposed of by 59 courts in 1935* [1]

Place where child was living when referred to court	Dependency and neglect cases	
	Number	Percent distribution
Total cases	19,412	
Place reported	17,500	100
In own home	12,632	72
With both own parents	4,617	26
With mother and stepfather	409	2
With father and stepmother	282	2
With mother only	4,757	27
With father only	2,567	15
In other family home	3,544	20
In institution	789	5
In other place	535	3
Place not reported	1,912	

[1] Of the 177 courts reporting dependency and neglect cases, information on place where child was living when referred to court was available only for the 57 courts that reported on an individual-card basis and for 2 additional courts.

TABLE 22.—*Marital status of parents of children referred to court in dependency and neglect cases disposed of by 58 courts in 1935* [1]

Marital status of parents	Dependency and neglect cases	
	Number	Percent distribution
Total cases	18,406	
Status reported	16,335	100
Parents married and living together	4,520	28
One or both parents dead	4,164	25
Both dead	556	3
Father dead	1,266	8
Mother dead	2,342	14
Parents separated	5,793	35
Divorced	1,232	8
Father deserting mother	810	5
Mother deserting father	549	3
Other reason	3,202	20
Parents not married to each other	1,822	11
Other status	36	(2)
Status not reported	2,071	

[1] Of the 177 courts reporting dependency and neglect cases, information on marital status of parents was available only for the 57 courts that reported on an individual-card basis and for 1 additional court.
[2] Less than 1 percent.

TABLE 23.—*Marital status of parents, classified according to place where child was living when referred to court, in dependency and neglect cases disposed of by 58 courts in 1935* [1]

Marital status of parents	Dependency and neglect cases										
		Place where child was living when referred to court									
		In own home						In other family home	In institution	In other place	Not reported
	Total	Total	With both own parents	With mother and stepfather	With father and stepmother	With mother only	With father only				
Total cases	18,406	12,117	4,449	376	268	4,530	2,494	3,375	774	240	1,900
Parents married and living together	4,520	4,345	4,345	------	------	------	------	98	61	16	------
Both parents dead	556	------	------	------	------	------	------	470	41	45	------
Father dead	1,266	938	------	148	------	790	------	238	55	35	------
Mother dead	2,342	1,386	------	------	185	------	1,201	809	110	37	------
Parents divorced	1,232	959	1	184	75	541	158	219	35	18	1
Father deserting mother	810	667	------	------	------	655	12	100	34	9	------
Mother deserting father	549	468	------	------	------	55	413	57	18	5	1
Parents separated for other reasons	3,202	2,354	------	------	------	1,689	665	707	116	25	------
Parents not married to each other	1,822	921	103	37	4	737	40	590	277	32	2
Other status	36	1	------	------	------	1	------	23	7	5	------
Status not reported	2,071	78	------	7	4	62	5	64	20	13	1,896

[1] Of the 177 courts reporting dependency and neglect cases, data for correlating marital status of parents and place where child was living when referred to court were available only for the 57 courts that reported on an individual-card basis and for 1 additional court.

TABLE 24.—*Source of reference to court of families represented in dependency and neglect cases disposed of by 58 courts in 1935* [1]

Source of reference to court	Families represented in dependency and neglect cases	
	Number	Percent distribution
Total cases	10,518	------
Source reported	10,517	100
Parents or relatives	4,234	40
Social agency	3,965	38
Individual	913	9
Police	615	6
Probation officer	480	5
School department	238	2
Other source	72	1
Source not reported	1	------

[1] Of the 177 courts reporting dependency and neglect cases, information on number of families represented was available only for the 57 courts that reported on an individual-card basis and for 1 additional court.

TABLE 25.—*Reason for reference to court and number of families represented in dependency and neglect cases disposed of by 58 courts in 1935* [1]

Reason for reference to court	Dependency and neglect cases		
	Total cases	Families represented	
		Number	Percent distribution
Total	18,406	10,518	100
Without adequate care or support from parent or guardian	13,952	7,639	73
Abandonment or desertion	496	322	3
Abuse or cruel treatment	667	414	4
Living under conditions injurious to morals	2,278	1,149	11
Physically handicapped and in need of public care	1,006	989	9
Other reasons	7	5	(2)

[1] Of the 177 courts reporting dependency and neglect cases, information on number of families represented was available only for the 57 courts that reported on an individual-card basis and for 1 additional court.
[2] Less than 1 percent.

TABLE 26.—*Place of care of child pending hearing or disposition in dependency and neglect cases disposed of by 59 courts in 1935* [1]

Place of detention care	Dependency and neglect cases	
	Number	Percent distribution
Total cases	19,412	
Report on detention care	18,738	100
No detention care	13,617	73
Detention care overnight or longer	5,121	27
Boarding home or other family home	514	3
Detention home [2]	1,593	9
Other institution	2,934	16
Jail or police station	17	(3)
Other place of care	63	(3)
No report on detention care	674	

[1] Of the 177 courts reporting dependency and neglect cases, information on place of detention care was available only for the 57 courts that reported on an individual-card basis and for 2 additional courts.
[2] Includes cases of children cared for part of the time in detention homes and part of the time elsewhere, but excludes cases of children also held in jails or police stations.
[3] Less than 1 percent.

TABLE 27.—*Disposition and manner of handling dependency and neglect cases disposed of by 177 courts in 1935* [1]

Disposition of case	Dependency and neglect cases					
	Total		Official		Unofficial	
	Number	Percent distribution	Number	Percent distribution	Number	Percent distribution
Total cases	24,019		19,932		4,087	
Disposition reported	24,018	100	19,931	100	4,087	100
Child kept under supervision of court	7,355	31	7,069	35	286	7
Probation officer supervising	4,003	17	3,780	19	223	5
Agency or individual supervising	2,175	9	2,133	11	42	1
Under temporary care of an institution	1,177	5	1,156	6	21	1
Child not kept under supervision of court	15,182	63	11,807	59	3,375	83
Case dismissed or adjusted	6,191	26	3,506	18	2,685	66
Committed to—						
State institution	282	1	282	1		
Other institution	1,984	8	1,984	10		
Public department	1,483	6	1,483	7		
Other agency	1,149	5	1,149	6		
Individual	636	3	636	3		
Referred without commitment to—						
Institution	1,402	6	1,335	7	67	2
Agency or individual	952	4	425	2	527	13
Referred to other court	162	1	86	(2)	76	2
Other disposition of case	941	4	921	5	20	(2)
Case held open without further action	1,481	6	1,055	5	426	10
Disposition not reported	1		1			

[1] Of the 177 courts reporting dependency and neglect cases, 176 reported official cases and 33 reported unofficial cases.
[2] Less than 1 percent.

SPECIAL-PROCEEDINGS CASES, 1935

TABLE 28.—*Type of special-proceedings cases disposed of by 64 courts in 1935*

Type of case	Number	Percent distribution
Total	1,202	100
Material witness [1]	381	32
Care of feeble-minded child [2]	283	24
Adoption proceedings	100	8
Custody or guardianship proceedings	128	11
Permission to marry	104	9
Permission to enlist in Army or Navy	7	1
Other [3]	199	17

[1] Reported by the following courts only: New York City; Rensselaer and Westchester Counties, N. Y.; Hamilton County, Ohio; Philadelphia, Pa.; and Spokane, Wash.
[2] In all but 7 of the cases, court action was brought for the purpose of committing the child to an institution for the feeble-minded.
[3] Includes 60 cases of action in juvenile court to terminate parental rights or to declare child eligible for adoption, prior to adoption proceedings in another court.

CASES OF CHILDREN DISCHARGED FROM SUPERVISION, 1935

TABLE 29.—*Reason for discharge in cases of delinquent and of dependent and neglected children discharged from supervision by 216 courts in 1935* [1]

Reason for discharge	Cases of children discharged from supervision			
	Delinquent		Dependent and neglected	
	Number	Percent distribution	Number	Percent distribution
Total cases	17,030		3,583	
Reason reported	16,855	100	3,567	100
Conduct of child satisfactory or conditions improved	11,170	66	1,963	55
Expiration of period specified by court	1,100	7	91	3
Order of court fulfilled	286	2	47	1
Conduct of child or conditions unsatisfactory but further supervision not advised	359	2	84	2
Child committed or referred to an institution	2,250	13	368	10
Child committed or referred to an agency or individual	298	2	381	11
Referred to another court	164	1	18	1
Whereabouts of child unknown or child moved from jurisdiction of court	611	4	487	14
Other reason	617	4	128	4
Reason not reported	175		16	

[1] Of the 216 courts reporting supervision cases, 216 reported delinquency cases and 41 reported dependency and neglect cases.

TABLE 30.—*Length of time child was under supervision in cases of delinquent and of dependent and neglected children discharged from supervision by 216 courts in 1935* [1]

Duration of supervision	Cases of children discharged from supervision			
	Delinquent		Dependent and neglected	
	Number	Percent distribution	Number	Percent distribution
Total cases	17,030		3,583	
Duration reported	16,845	100	3,583	100
Less than 6 months	5,491	33	1,481	41
6 months, less than 1 year	5,097	30	675	19
1 year, less than 18 months	3,495	21	346	10
18 months, less than 2 years	1,212	7	273	8
2 years, less than 3 years	967	6	321	9
3 years or more	583	3	487	14
Duration not reported	185			

[1] Of the 216 courts reporting supervision cases, 216 reported delinquency cases and 41 reported dependency and neglect cases.

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DELINQUENCY CASES, 1936

TABLE 1.—*Age under which court has original jurisdiction and age when referred to court of boys and girls dealt with in delinquency cases disposed of by 359 courts during 1936* [1]

Age of child when referred to court	Delinquency cases									
	Total		Age under which court has original jurisdiction [2]							
			16 years		17 years		18 years		21 years	
	Boys	Girls	Boys	Girls	Boys	Girls	Boys	Girls	Boys	Girls
Total cases	53,485	9,835	24,119	3,223	12,006	1,674	13,746	3,964	3,614	974
Under 10 years	2,789	276	1,609	125	442	29	653	106	85	16
10 years	2,712	200	1,478	98	542	21	612	66	80	15
11 years	3,772	329	2,029	152	734	62	889	101	120	14
12 years	5,222	580	2,848	284	1,105	90	1,086	185	183	21
13 years	7,054	1,107	3,721	457	1,598	194	1,454	393	281	63
14 years	10,057	1,892	5,257	729	2,314	343	2,014	662	472	158
15 years	11,871	2,802	6,247	1,148	2,588	493	2,404	956	632	205
16 years	6,267	1,593	537	97	2,557	400	2,404	861	769	235
17 years	3,071	840	125	19	45	16	2,080	598	821	207
18 years and over	268	83	30	10	9	4	88	30	141	39
Not reported	402	133	238	104	72	22	62	6	30	1

[1] Of the 367 courts reporting delinquency cases, 358 reported boys' cases and 327 reported girls' cases.
[2] Some courts have jurisdiction under special circumstances beyond the age specified; also courts occasionally deal informally with children who are just beyond the age of juvenile-court jurisdiction.

TABLE 2.—*Age when referred to court of white and colored boys and girls dealt with in delinquency cases disposed of by 63 courts in 1936* [1]

Age of child when referred to court	Delinquency cases								
	Total	Boys				Girls			
		White		Colored		White		Colored	
		Number	Percent distribution	Number	Percent distribution	Number	Percent distribution	Number	Percent distribution
Total cases	46,848	29,597		10,046		5,427		1,778	
Age reported	46,741	29,534	100	10,010	100	5,423	100	1,774	100
Under 10 years	2,267	1,533	5	529	5	163	3	42	2
10 years	2,187	1,401	5	630	6	111	2	45	3
11 years	3,178	1,994	7	940	9	152	3	92	5
12 years	4,323	2,663	9	1,219	12	293	5	148	8
13 years	6,145	3,855	13	1,460	15	553	10	277	16
14 years	8,848	5,536	19	1,917	19	1,006	19	389	22
15 years	10,789	6,665	23	2,093	21	1,563	29	468	26
16 years	5,421	3,386	11	885	9	930	17	220	12
17 years	3,330	2,344	8	314	3	584	11	88	5
18 years and over	253	157	1	23	(2)	68	1	5	(2)
Age not reported	107	63		36		4		4	

[1] Of the 367 courts reporting delinquency cases, data for correlating age and color were available only for the 62 courts that reported on an individual-card basis and for 1 additional court.
[2] Less than 1 percent.

TABLE 3.—*Color and nativity of boys and girls dealt with in delinquency cases disposed of by 64 courts, and by 26 courts that served areas with 10,000 or more Negro population,* [1] *in 1936* [2]

Color and nativity of child	Delinquency cases									
	All courts reporting nativity and color [2]					Courts reporting nativity and color serving areas with 10,000 or more Negro population [2]				
	Total	Boys		Girls		Total	Boys		Girls	
		Number	Percent distribution	Number	Percent distribution		Number	Percent distribution	Number	Percent distribution
Total cases	49,300	41,535	100	7,765	100	32,928	27,888	100	5,040	100
White	37,268	31,338	75	5,930	76	21,953	18,530	66	3,423	68
Native born	36,067	30,362	73	5,705	73	20,995	17,753	64	3,242	64
Foreign born	686	562	1	124	2	505	413	1	92	2
Nativity not reported	515	414	1	101	1	453	364	1	89	2
Colored	12,032	10,197	25	1,835	24	10,975	9,358	34	1,617	32
Negro	11,925	10,123	24	1,802	23	10,944	9,333	33	1,611	32
Other	107	74	(3)	33	(3)	31	25	(3)	6	(3)

[1] According to the 1930 census.
[2] Of the 367 courts reporting delinquency cases, information on nativity and color was available only for the 62 courts that reported on an individual-card basis and for 2 additional courts; of these, only 26 served areas with 10,000 or more Negro population.
[3] Less than 1 percent.

TABLE 4.—*Parent nativity of native white boys and girls dealt with in delinquency cases disposed of by 64 courts in 1936* [1]

Parent nativity	Delinquency cases of native white children				
	Total	Boys		Girls	
		Number	Percent distribution	Number	Percent distribution
Total cases	36,067	30,362		5,705	
Parent nativity reported	34,940	29,452	100	5,488	100
Native parentage	22,937	18,882	64	4,055	74
Foreign or mixed parentage	12,003	10,570	36	1,433	26
Parent nativity not reported	1,127	910		217	

[1] Of the 367 courts reporting delinquency cases, information on parent nativity was available only for the 62 courts that reported on an individual-card basis and for 2 additional courts.

TABLE 5.—*Place where boys and girls were living when referred to court in delinquency cases disposed of by 64 courts in 1936* [1]

Place where child was living when referred to court	Delinquency cases				
	Total	Boys		Girls	
		Number	Percent distribution	Number	Percent distribution
Total cases	49,300	41,535		7,765	
Place reported	46,973	39,592	100	7,381	100
In own home	42,491	36,433	92	6,058	82
With both own parents	27,108	23,923	60	3,185	43
With mother and stepfather	2,876	2,283	6	593	8
With father and stepmother	1,164	927	2	237	3
With mother only	8,734	7,187	18	1,547	21
With father only	2,609	2,113	5	496	7
In other family home	3,370	2,360	6	1,010	14
In institution	454	321	1	133	2
In other place	658	478	1	180	2
Place not reported	2,327	1,943		384	

[1] Of the 367 courts reporting delinquency cases, information on the place where the child was living when referred to court was available only for the 62 courts that reported on an individual-card basis and for 2 additional courts.

TABLE 6.—*Marital status of parents of boys and girls dealt with in delinquency cases disposed of by 64 courts in 1936* [1]

Marital status of parents	Delinquency cases				
	Total	Boys		Girls	
		Number	Percent distribution	Number	Percent distribution
Total cases	49,300	41,535		7,765	
Status reported	46,393	39,147	100	7,246	100
Parents married and living together	27,785	24,387	62	3,398	47
One or both parents dead	10,211	8,316	21	1,895	26
Both dead	885	692	2	193	3
Father dead	5,919	4,936	13	983	14
Mother dead	3,407	2,688	7	719	10
Parents separated	7,577	5,824	15	1,753	24
Divorced	3,387	2,442	6	945	13
Father deserting mother	1,322	1,089	3	233	3
Mother deserting father	229	163	(2)	66	1
Other reasons	2,639	2,130	5	509	7
Parents not married to each other	806	611	2	195	3
Other status	14	9	(2)	5	(2)
Status not reported	2,907	2,388		519	

[1] Of the 367 courts reporting delinquency cases, information on marital status of parents was available only for the 62 courts that reported on an individual-card basis and for 2 additional courts.
[2] Less than 1 percent.

TABLE 7.—*Marital status of parents, classified according to place where child was living when referred to court; boys' and girls' delinquency cases disposed of by 64 courts in 1936* [1]

Marital status of parents and sex of child	Delinquency cases										
		Place where child was living when referred to court									
		In own home									
	Total	Total	With both own parents	With mother and stepfather	With father and stepmother	With mother only	With father only	In other family home	In institution	In other place	Not reported
Total cases	49,300	42,491	27,108	2,876	1,164	8,734	2,609	3,370	454	658	2,327
Boys' cases	41,535	36,433	23,923	2,283	927	7,187	2,113	2,360	321	478	1,943
Parents married and living together	24,387	23,911	23,911					177	87	212	
Both parents dead	692							615	38	36	3
Father dead	4,936	4,604		1,213		3,391		245	40	47	
Mother dead	2,688	2,103			654		1,449	498	40	46	1
Parents divorced	2,442	2,222	1	861	216	920	224	177	21	21	1
Father deserting mother	1,089	1,014		5		1,000	9	57	15	3	
Mother deserting father	163	142				23	119	17	3	1	
Parents separated for other reasons	2,130	1,794		5		1,524	265	246	33	53	4
Parents not married to each other	611	376	11	72	10	265	18	214	14	7	
Other status	9							8	1		
Status not reported	2,388	267		127	47	64	29	106	29	52	1,934
Girls' cases	7,765	6,058	3,185	593	237	1,547	496	1,010	133	180	384
Parents married and living together	3,398	3,179	3,179					113	28	75	3
Both parents dead	193							176	9	8	
Father dead	983	853		244		609		89	25	16	
Mother dead	719	456			163		293	226	20	16	1
Parents divorced	945	734		303	68	296	67	159	19	32	1
Father deserting mother	233	208		2		202	4	19	2	4	
Mother deserting father	66	54				4	50	11	1		
Parents separated for other reasons	509	396	1			330	65	86	13	12	2
Parents not married to each other	195	106	5	28	2	66	5	79	9	1	
Other status	5	2		2				3			
Status not reported	519	70		14	4	40	12	49	7	16	377

[1] Of the 367 courts reporting delinquency cases, data for correlating marital status of parents and place where child was living when referred to court were available only for the 62 courts that reported on an individual-card basis and for 2 additional courts.

TABLE 8.—*Source of reference to court of delinquency cases disposed of by 64 courts in 1936* [1]

Source of reference to court	Delinquency cases	
	Total	Percent distribution
Total cases	49,300	
Source reported	49,291	100
Police	32,012	65
School department	3,267	7
Probation officer	1,446	3
Other court	872	2
Social agency	891	2
Parents or relatives	4,300	9
Individual	6,254	13
Other source	249	1
Source not reported	9	

[1] Of the 367 courts reporting delinquency cases, information on source of reference to court was available only for the 62 courts that reported on an individual-card basis and for 2 additional courts.

TABLE 9.—*Reason for reference to court of boys and girls dealt with in delinquency cases disposed of by 367 courts in 1936* [1]

Reason for reference to court	Delinquency cases				
	Total	Boys		Girls	
		Number	Percent distribution	Number	Percent distribution
Total cases	63,320	53,485		9,835	
Reason reported	62,998	53,317	100	9,681	100
Automobile stealing	2,382	2,365	4	17	[2]
Burglary or unlawful entry	7,570	7,492	14	78	1
Hold-up	474	467	1	7	[2]
Other stealing	17,235	16,234	30	1,001	10
Act of carelessness or mischief	12,610	11,889	22	721	7
Traffic violation	2,704	2,597	5	107	1
Truancy	4,297	3,128	6	1,169	12
Running away	3,939	2,478	5	1,461	15
Ungovernable	5,847	3,206	6	2,641	27
Sex offense	3,320	1,214	2	2,106	22
Injury to person	1,390	1,215	2	175	2
Use, possession, or sale of liquor or drugs	404	313	1	91	1
Other reason	826	719	1	107	1
Reason not reported	322	168		154	

[1] Of the 367 courts reporting delinquency cases, 358 reported boys' cases and 327 reported girls' cases.
[2] Less than 1 percent.

TABLE 10.—*Reason for reference to court of boys and girls of each age period dealt with in delinquency cases disposed of by 63 courts in 1936* [1]

Reason for reference to court, and sex of child	Delinquency cases							
	Total	Age of child when referred to court						
		Under 10 years	10 years, under 12	12 years, under 14	14 years, under 16	16 years, under 18	18 years and over	Age not reported
Total cases	46,848	2,267	5,365	10,468	19,637	8,751	253	107
Boys' cases	39,643	2,062	4,965	9,197	16,211	6,929	180	99
Automobile stealing	1,606	9	35	178	802	565	15	2
Burglary or unlawful entry	4,998	252	645	1,300	2,116	665	15	5
Hold-up	365	9	40	70	183	63	---	---
Other stealing	12,046	591	1,776	3,226	4,803	1,597	34	19
Act of carelessness or mischief	9,506	785	1,467	2,467	3,705	1,015	32	35
Traffic violation	1,936	1	12	49	430	1,418	24	2
Truancy	1,972	48	149	315	1,061	388	3	8
Running away	2,161	77	278	486	959	338	16	7
Ungovernable	2,534	174	320	641	1,096	287	13	3
Sex offense	800	51	78	156	321	183	11	---
Injury to person	959	51	128	217	372	167	6	18
Use, possession, or sale of liquor or drugs	224	1	1	21	64	133	4	---
Other reason	408	9	29	49	209	105	7	---
Reason not reported	128	4	7	22	90	5	---	---
Girls' cases	7,205	205	400	1,271	3,426	1,822	73	8
Automobile stealing	10	---	---	---	8	2	---	---
Burglary or unlawful entry	52	6	15	13	11	6	1	---
Hold-up	4	---	1	2	---	1	---	---
Other stealing	747	39	93	202	267	142	4	---
Act of carelessness or mischief	577	59	65	159	200	88	4	2
Traffic violation	81	1	---	2	16	62	---	---
Truancy	792	14	29	102	473	174	---	---
Running away	1,219	10	23	176	666	325	19	---
Ungovernable	2,128	37	85	372	1,079	531	23	1
Sex offense	1,191	28	59	171	509	406	18	---
Injury to person	147	7	19	34	56	26	---	5
Use, possession, or sale of liquor or drugs	68	---	---	2	33	33	---	---
Other reason	57	---	2	8	20	23	4	---
Reason not reported	132	4	9	28	88	3	---	---

[1] Of the 367 courts reporting delinquency cases, data for correlating reason for reference to court and age of child were available only for the 62 courts that reported on an individual-card basis and for 1 additional court.

TABLE 11.—*Reason for reference to court, and color of boys and girls dealt with in delinquency cases disposed of by 64 courts in 1936* [1]

Reason for reference to court, and sex of child	Delinquency cases					
	Total		White children		Colored children	
	Number	Percent distribution	Number	Percent distribution	Number	Percent distribution
Total cases	49,300		37,282		12,018	
Boys' cases	41,535		31,349		10,186	
Reason reported	41,377	100	31,236	100	10,141	100
Automobile stealing	1,974	5	1,710	5	264	3
Burglary or unlawful entry	5,413	13	4,093	13	1,320	13
Hold-up	396	1	181	1	215	2
Other stealing	12,464	30	8,806	28	3,658	36
Act of carelessness or mischief	9,575	23	7,081	23	2,494	25
Traffic violation	2,096	5	1,998	6	98	1
Truancy	2,081	5	1,841	6	240	2
Running away	2,161	5	1,677	5	484	5
Ungovernable	2,611	6	1,915	6	696	7
Sex offense	953	2	796	3	157	2
Injury to person	963	2	553	2	410	4
Use, possession, or sale of liquor or drugs	254	1	216	1	38	(2)
Other reason	436	1	369	1	67	1
Reason not reported	158		113		45	
Girls' cases	7,765		5,933		1,832	
Reason reported	7,619	100	5,849	100	1,770	100
Automobile stealing	10	(2)	10	(2)		
Burglary or unlawful entry	58	1	46	1	12	1
Hold-up	4	(2)			4	(2)
Other stealing	778	10	546	9	232	13
Act of carelessness or mischief	579	8	377	6	202	11
Traffic violation	97	1	92	2	5	(2)
Truancy	805	11	717	12	88	5
Running away	1,219	16	1,002	17	217	12
Ungovernable	2,137	28	1,521	26	616	35
Sex offense	1,655	22	1,374	23	281	16
Injury to person	148	2	52	1	96	5
Use, possession, or sale of liquor or drugs	72	1	59	1	13	1
Other reason	57	1	53	1	4	(2)
Reason not reported	146		84		62	

[1] Of the 367 courts reporting delinquency cases, data for correlating reason for reference to court and color of child were available only for the 62 courts that reported on an individual-card basis and for 2 additional courts.
[2] Less than 1 percent.

TABLE 12.—*Court experience of boys and girls dealt with in delinquency cases disposed of by 64 courts in 1936* [1]

Court experience	Delinquency cases			
	Boys		Girls	
	Number	Percent distribution	Number	Percent distribution
Total cases	41,535	100	7,765	100
First 1936 court experience	36,492	88	7,227	93
Child having no court experience previous to 1936	27,061	65	6,227	80
Child having 1 or more court experiences previous to 1936	9,426	23	999	13
Court experience previous to 1936 not reported	5	(2)	1	(2)
Subsequent 1936 court experience	5,043	12	538	7

[1] Of the 367 courts reporting delinquency cases, information on previous court experience was available only for the 62 courts that reported on an individual-card basis and for 2 additional courts.
[2] Less than 1 percent.

TABLE 13.—*Place of care pending hearing or disposition, and age when referred to court of boys and girls dealt with in delinquency cases disposed of by 64 courts in 1936* [1]

Place of care, and sex of child	Delinquency cases										
	Total		Age of child when referred to court								Age not reported
			Under 14 years		14 years, under 16		16 years, under 18		18 years and over		
	Number	Percent distribution	Number	Percent distribution	Number	Percent distribution	Number	Percent distribution	Number	Percent distribution	
Total cases	49,300		18,543		20,450		9,818		351		138
Boys' cases	41,535		16,606		16,816		7,716		268		129
Report on detention care	40,488	100	16,402	100	16,477	100	7,277	100	235	100	97
No detention care	25,629	63	11,107	68	10,063	61	4,257	58	117	50	85
Detention care overnight or longer	14,859	37	5,295	32	6,414	39	3,020	42	118	50	12
Boarding home or other family home	395	1	133	1	213	1	47	1	1	(2)	1
Detention home [3]	10,764	27	4,133	25	4,638	28	1,937	27	46	20	10
Other institution	2,024	5	854	5	1,084	7	85	1	1	(2)	
Jail or police station [4]	1,332	3	89	1	338	2	839	12	66	28	
Other place of care [5]	344	1	86	1	141	1	112	2	4	2	1
No report on detention care	1,047		204		339		439		33		32
Girls' cases	7,765		1,937		3,634		2,102		83		9
Report on detention care	7,599	100	1,913	100	3,578	100	2,022	100	78	100	8
No detention care	4,175	55	1,183	62	1,926	54	1,018	50	40	51	8
Detention care overnight or longer	3,424	45	730	38	1,652	46	1,004	50	38	49	
Boarding home or other family home	99	1	23	1	54	2	21	1	1	1	
Detention home [3]	2,527	33	512	27	1,168	33	815	40	32	41	
Other institution	629	8	178	9	364	10	86	4	1	1	
Jail or police station [4]	69	1	4	(2)	30	1	32	2	3	4	
Other place of care [5]	100	1	13	1	36	1	50	2	1	1	
No report on detention care	166		24		56		80		5		1

[1] Of the 367 courts reporting delinquency cases, data for correlating place of detention care and age of child were available only for the 62 courts that reported on an individual-card basis and for 2 additional courts.

[2] Less than 1 percent.

[3] Includes cases of children cared for part of the time in detention homes and part of the time elsewhere, but excludes cases of children also held in jails or police stations.

[4] Includes a few cases of children cared for part of the time in jails or police stations and part of the time elsewhere.

[5] Includes a few cases of children held in more than 1 place of care but in places other than detention homes, jails, or police stations.

TABLE 14.—*Disposition and manner of handling delinquency cases disposed of by 367 courts in 1936* [1]

Disposition of case	Delinquency cases					
	Total		Official		Unofficial	
	Number	Percent distribution	Number	Percent distribution	Number	Percent distribution
Total cases	63,320	100	43,612	100	19,708	100
Child kept under supervision of court	24,108	38	21,470	49	2,638	13
Probation officer supervising	21,804	34	19,336	44	2,468	13
Agency or individual supervising	1,149	2	1,057	2	92	(2)
Under temporary care of an institution	1,155	2	1,077	2	78	(2)
Child not kept under supervision of court	34,615	55	18,782	43	15,833	80
Case dismissed or adjusted	22,881	36	10,007	23	12,874	65
Committed to—						
State institution for delinquents	3,139	5	3,139	7		
Other institution for delinquents	2,315	4	2,315	5		
Penal institution	48	(2)	48	(2)		
Other institution	513	1	513	1		
Agency or individual	547	1	547	1		
Referred without commitment to—						
Institution	301	(2)	153	(2)	148	1
Agency or individual	1,194	2	281	1	913	5
Referred to other court	503	1	365	1	138	1
Restitution, fine, or costs ordered	917	1	688	2	229	1
Runaway returned	1,546	2	286	1	1,260	6
Other disposition of case	711	1	440	1	271	1
Case held open without further action	4,597	7	3,360	8	1,237	6

[1] Of the 367 courts reporting delinquency cases, 363 reported official cases and 98 unofficial cases.
[2] Less than 1 percent.

TABLE 15.—*Disposition of cases of boys and of girls of each age period dealt with in delinquency cases disposed of by 63 courts in 1936* [1]

Disposition of case, and sex of child	Delinquency cases							
	Total	Age of child when referred to court						
		Under 10 years	10 years, under 12	12 years, under 14	14 years, under 16	16 years, under 18	18 years and over	Age not reported
Total cases	46,848	2,267	5,365	10,468	19,637	8,751	253	107
Boys' cases	39,643	2,062	4,965	9,197	16,211	6,929	180	99
Dismissed, adjusted, or held open without further action	19,420	1,391	2,670	4,448	7,324	3,427	100	60
Supervised by probation officer	11,866	365	1,347	2,921	5,435	1,749	35	14
Committed or referred to an institution	4,322	112	446	1,021	1,981	738	20	4
Committed or referred to an agency or individual	1,538	92	252	393	540	255	1	5
Restitution, fine, or costs ordered	699	41	59	115	214	259	3	8
Other disposition	1,798	61	191	299	717	501	21	8
Girls' cases	7,205	205	400	1,271	3,426	1,822	73	8
Dismissed, adjusted, or held open without further action	2,847	138	211	511	1,194	756	32	5
Supervised by probation officer	1,997	32	106	380	1,022	441	16	
Committed or referred to an institution	1,246	14	40	211	679	291	11	
Committed or referred to an agency or individual	611	11	30	102	290	172	6	
Restitution, fine, or costs ordered	35	4	3	3	9	13		3
Other disposition	469	6	10	64	232	149	8	

[1] Of the 367 courts reporting delinquency cases, data for correlating disposition of case and age of child were available only for the 62 courts that reported on an individual-card basis and for 1 additional court.

TABLE 16.—*Disposition and reason for reference to court of boys' and girls' delinquency cases disposed of by 63 courts in 1936* [1]

Disposition of case, and sex of child	Delinquency cases											
		Reason for reference to court										
	Total	Stealing	Act of carelessness or mischief	Traffic violation	Truancy	Running away	Ungovernable	Sex offense	Injury to person	Use, possession, or sale of liquor or drugs	Other reason	Reason not reported
Total cases	46,848	19,828	10,083	2,017	2,764	3,380	4,662	1,991	1,106	292	465	260
Boys' cases	39,643	19,015	9,506	1,936	1,972	2,161	2,534	800	959	224	408	128
Dismissed, adjusted, or held open without further action	19,420	6,896	7,456	1,455	938	397	938	342	537	105	311	45
Supervised by probation officer	11,866	7,794	1,358	195	655	314	789	304	268	79	44	66
Committed or referred to an institution	4,322	2,770	239	8	234	219	612	107	79	10	27	17
Committed or referred to an agency or individual	1,538	902	146	7	128	114	181	25	22	5	8	-----
Restitution, fine, or costs ordered	699	268	245	108	-----	1	5	4	40	17	11	-----
Other disposition	1,798	385	62	163	17	1,116	9	18	13	8	7	-----
Girls' cases	7,205	813	577	81	792	1,219	2,128	1,191	147	68	57	132
Dismissed, adjusted, or held open without further action	2,847	345	450	67	434	270	761	339	91	40	30	20
Supervised by probation officer	1,997	265	71	4	220	278	641	362	34	18	13	91
Committed or referred to an institution	1,246	97	16	1	56	204	492	334	10	5	10	21
Committed or referred to an agency or individual	611	76	29	-----	73	98	211	113	5	3	3	-----
Restitution, fine, or costs ordered	35	13	8	5	-----	1	-----	1	6	1	-----	-----
Other disposition	469	17	3	4	9	368	23	42	1	1	1	-----

[1] Of the 367 courts reporting delinquency cases, data for correlating disposition of case and reason for reference to court were available only for the 62 courts that reported on an individual-card basis and for 1 additional court.

TABLE 17.—*Disposition of case classified according to color of boys and girls dealt with in delinquency cases disposed of by 64 courts in 1936* [1]

Disposition of case, and sex of child	Delinquency cases					
	Total		White children		Colored children	
	Number	Percent distribution	Number	Percent distribution	Number	Percent distribution
Total cases	49,300	-----	37,282	-----	12,018	-----
Boys' cases	41,535	100	31,349	100	10,186	100
Dismissed, adjusted, or held open without further action	19,672	47	15,293	49	4,379	43
Supervised by probation officer	13,076	31	9,972	32	3,104	30
Committed or referred to an institution	4,608	11	3,032	10	1,576	15
Committed or referred to an agency or individual	1,637	4	1,138	4	499	5
Restitution, fine, or costs ordered	699	2	486	2	213	2
Other disposition	1,843	4	1,428	5	415	4
Girls' cases	7,765	100	5,933	100	1,832	100
Dismissed, adjusted, or held open without further action	2,890	37	2,175	37	715	39
Supervised by probation officer	2,341	30	1,766	30	575	31
Committed or referred to an institution	1,348	17	1,032	17	316	17
Committed or referred to an agency or individual	671	9	526	9	145	8
Restitution, fine, or costs ordered	35	(2)	21	(2)	14	1
Other disposition	480	6	413	7	67	4

[1] Of the 367 courts reporting delinquency cases, data for correlating disposition of case and color of child were available only for the 62 courts that reported on an individual-card basis and for 2 additional courts.
[2] Less than 1 percent.

DEPENDENCY AND NEGLECT CASES, 1936

TABLE 18.—*Age when referred to court of children dealt with in dependency and neglect cases disposed of by 154 courts in 1936*

Age of child when referred to court	Dependency and neglect cases	
	Number	Percent distribution
Total cases	23,599	
Age reported	23,551	100
Under 2 years	2,754	12
2 years, under 4	2,390	10
4 years, under 6	2,756	12
6 years, under 8	2,992	13
8 years, under 10	3,111	13
10 years, under 12	3,024	13
12 years, under 14	2,977	13
14 years, under 16	2,740	12
16 years and over	807	3
Age not reported	48	

TABLE 19.—*Reason for reference to court of children dealt with in dependency and neglect cases disposed of by 154 courts in 1936*

Reason for reference to court	Dependency and neglect cases	
	Number	Percent distribution
Total cases	23,599	100
Without adequate care or support from parent or guardian	17,454	74
Living under conditions injurious to morals	2,650	11
Physically handicapped and in need of public care	1,966	8
Abandonment or desertion	666	3
Abuse or cruel treatment	826	4
Other reasons	37	(1)

[1] Less than 1 percent.

TABLE 20.—*Color and nativity of children dealt with in dependency and neglect cases disposed of by 56 courts in 1936* [1]

Color and nativity of child	Dependency and neglect cases	
	Number	Percent distribution
Total cases	18,700	100
White	15,941	85
Native born	15,409	82
Foreign born	146	1
Nativity not reported	386	2
Colored	2,759	15
Negro	2,594	14
Other	165	1

[1] Of the 154 courts reporting dependency and neglect cases, information on color and nativity of child was available only for the 54 courts that reported on an individual-card basis and for 2 additional courts.

TABLE 21.—*Place where child was living when referred to court in dependency and neglect cases disposed of by 56 courts in 1936* [1]

Place where child was living when referred to court	Dependency and neglect cases	
	Number	Percent distribution
Total cases	18,700	
Place reported	17,239	100
In own home	12,524	73
With both own parents	4,556	26
With mother and stepfather	475	3
With father and stepmother	302	2
With mother only	4,752	28
With father only	2,439	14
In other family home	3,454	20
In institution	777	5
In other place	484	3
Place not reported	1,461	

[1] Of the 154 courts reporting dependency and neglect cases, information on place where child was living when referred to court was available only for the 54 courts that reported on an individual-card basis and for 2 additional courts.

TABLE 22.—*Marital status of parents of children referred to court in dependency and neglect cases disposed of by 56 courts in 1936* [1]

Marital status of parents	Dependency and neglect cases	
	Number	Percent distribution
Total cases	18,700	
Status reported	17,108	100
Parents married and living together	4,760	28
One or both parents dead	4,489	26
Both dead	618	4
Father dead	1,491	9
Mother dead	2,380	14
Parents separated	6,134	36
Divorced	1,152	7
Father deserting mother	977	6
Mother deserting father	641	4
Other reasons	3,364	20
Parents not married to each other	1,679	10
Other status	46	(2)
Status not reported	1,592	

[1] Of the 154 courts reporting dependency and neglect cases, information on marital status of parents was available only for the 54 courts that reported on an individual-card basis and for 2 additional courts.
[2] Less than 1 percent.

TABLE 23.—*Marital status of parents, classified according to place where child was living when referred to court, in dependency and neglect cases disposed of by 56 courts in 1936* [1]

Marital status of parents	Dependency and neglect cases										
	Total	Place where child was living when referred to court									
		In own home						In other family home	In institution	In other place	Not reported
		Total	With both own parents	With mother and stepfather	With father and stepmother	With mother only	With father only				
Total cases	18,700	12,524	4,556	475	302	4,752	2,439	3,454	777	484	1,461
Parents married and living together	4,760	4,476	4,476	------	------	------	------	132	52	100	------
Both parents dead	618	------	------	------	------	------	------	530	43	39	6
Father dead	1,491	1,161	------	202	------	959	------	231	52	45	2
Mother dead	2,380	1,312	------	------	214	------	1,098	837	133	91	7
Parents divorced	1,152	888	------	219	75	456	138	207	38	19	------
Father deserting mother	977	844	------	------	------	835	9	83	34	16	------
Mother deserting father	641	534	------	------	------	67	467	92	11	3	1
Parents separated for other reasons	3,364	2,375	------	------	5	1,679	691	702	182	99	6
Parents not married to each other	1,679	875	80	48	7	711	29	557	210	37	------
Other status	46	------	------	------	------	------	------	32	7	7	------
Status not reported	1,592	59	------	6	1	45	7	51	15	28	1,439

[1] Of the 154 courts reporting dependency and neglect cases, data for correlating marital status of parents and place where child was living when referred to court were available only for the 54 courts that reported on an individual-card basis and for 2 additional courts.

TABLE 24.—*Source of reference to court of families represented in dependency and neglect cases disposed of by 55 courts in 1936* [1]

Source of reference to court	Families represented in dependency and neglect cases	
	Number	Percent distribution
Total cases	9,715	----------
Source reported	9,713	100
Parents or relatives	3,737	38
Social agency	3,522	36
Individual	805	8
Police	750	8
Probation officer	548	6
School department	264	3
Other source	87	1
Source not reported	2	----------

[1] Of the 154 courts reporting dependency and neglect cases, information on number of families represented was available only for the 54 courts that reported on an individual-card basis and for 1 additional court.

TABLE 25.—*Reason for reference to court and number of families represented in dependency and neglect cases disposed of by 56 courts in 1936* [1]

Reason for reference to court	Dependency and neglect cases		
	Total cases	Families represented	
		Number	Percent distribution
Total	18,700	9,715	100
Without adequate care or support from parent or guardian	14,460	7,182	74
Abandonment or desertion	423	250	3
Abuse or cruel treatment	716	424	4
Living under conditions injurious to morals	2,278	1,131	12
Physically handicapped and in need of public care	819	724	7
Other reasons	4	4	(2)

[1] Of the 154 courts reporting dependency and neglect cases, information on number of families represented was available only for the 54 courts that reported on an individual-card basis and for 2 additional courts.
[2] Less than 1 percent

TABLE 26.—*Place of care of child pending hearing or disposition in dependency and neglect cases disposed of by 56 courts in 1936* [1]

Place of detention care	Dependency and neglect cases	
	Number	Percent distribution
Total cases	18,700	
Report on detention care	18,200	100
No detention care	13,402	74
Detention care overnight or longer	4,798	26
Boarding home or other family home	577	3
Detention home [2]	1,750	10
Other institution	2,330	13
Jail or police station	33	(3)
Other place of care	108	1
No report on detention care	500	

[1] Of the 154 courts reporting dependency and neglect cases, information on place of detention care was available only for the 54 courts that reported on an individual-card basis and for 2 additional courts.
[2] Includes cases of children cared for part of the time in detention homes and part of the time elsewhere, but excludes cases of children also held in jails or police stations.
[3] Less than 1 percent.

TABLE 27.—*Disposition and manner of handling dependency and neglect cases disposed of by 154 courts in 1936* [1]

Disposition of case	Dependency and neglect cases					
	Total		Official		Unofficial	
	Number	Percent distribution	Number	Percent distribution	Number	Percent distribution
Total cases	23,599	100	19,491	100	4,108	100
Child kept under supervision of court	7,167	30	6,938	36	229	6
Probation officer supervising	3,989	17	3,812	20	177	4
Agency or individual supervising	2,109	9	2,087	11	22	1
Under temporary care of an institution	1,069	5	1,039	5	30	1
Child not kept under supervision of court	14,800	63	11,362	58	3,438	84
Case dismissed or adjusted	6,203	26	3,346	17	2,857	70
Committed to—						
State institution	294	1	294	2	----	----
Other institution	1,868	8	1,868	10	----	----
Public department	1,567	7	1,567	8	----	----
Other agency	1,359	6	1,359	7	----	----
Individual	541	2	541	3	----	----
Referred without commitment to:						
Institution	1,042	4	1,003	5	39	1
Agency or individual	816	3	357	2	459	11
Referred to other court	158	1	91	(2)	67	2
Other disposition of case	952	4	936	5	16	(2)
Case held open without further action	1,632	7	1,191	6	441	11

[1] Of the 154 courts reporting dependency and neglect cases, 154 reported official cases and 30 reported unofficial cases.
[2] Less than 1 percent.

SPECIAL-PROCEEDINGS CASES, 1936

TABLE 28.—*Type of special-proceedings cases disposed of by 58 courts in 1936*

Type of case	Number	Percent distribution
Total	1,317	100
Material witness [1]	318	24
Care of feeble-minded child [2]	486	37
Adoption proceedings	94	7
Custody or guardianship proceedings	176	13
Permission to marry	93	7
Permission to enlist in Army or Navy	5	(3)
Other [4]	145	11

[1] Reported by the following courts only: New York City; Westchester County, N. Y.; Philadelphia, Pa.; and third district of Utah.
[2] In all but 37 of the cases, court action was brought for the purpose of committing the child to an institution for the feeble-minded.
[3] Less than 1 percent.
[4] Includes 88 cases of action in juvenile court to terminate parental rights or to declare child eligible for adoption, prior to adoption proceedings in another court.

CASES OF CHILDREN DISCHARGED FROM SUPERVISION, 1936

TABLE 29.—*Reason for discharge in cases of delinquent and of dependent and neglected children discharged from supervision by 223 courts in 1936* [1]

Reason for discharge	Cases of children discharged from supervision			
	Delinquent		Dependent and neglected	
	Number	Percent distribution	Number	Percent distribution
Total cases	16,715		4,069	
Reason reported	16,613	100	4,069	100
Conduct of child satisfactory or conditions improved	9,423	57	2,259	56
Expiration of period specified by court	618	4	40	1
Order of court fulfilled	1,960	12	93	2
Conduct of child or conditions unsatisfactory but further supervision not advised	367	2	133	3
Child committed or referred to an institution	2,060	12	406	10
Child committed or referred to an agency or individual	299	2	630	15
Referred to another court	91	1	7	(2)
Whereabouts of child unknown or child moved from jurisdiction of court	1,118	7	394	10
Other reason	677	4	107	3
Reason not reported	102			

[1] Of the 223 courts reporting supervision cases, 222 reported delinquency cases, and 47 reported dependency and neglect cases.
[2] Less than 1 percent.

TABLE 30.—*Length of time child was under supervision in cases of delinquent and of dependent and neglected children discharged from supervision by 223 courts in 1936* [1]

Duration of supervision	Cases of children discharged from supervision			
	Delinquent		Dependent and neglected	
	Number	Percent distribution	Number	Percent distribution
Total cases	16,715		4,069	
Duration reported	16,619	100	4,069	100
Less than 6 months	4,804	29	1,270	31
6 months, less than 1 year	5,121	31	894	22
1 year, less than 18 months	3,438	21	549	13
18 months, less than 2 years	1,278	8	336	8
2 years, less than 3 years	1,139	7	392	10
3 years or more	839	5	628	15
Duration not reported	96			

[1] Of the 223 courts reporting supervision cases, 222 reported delinquency cases and 47 reported dependency and neglect cases.

SOURCE TABLES
JUVENILE-COURT STATISTICS
1935

TABLE IA.—*Number of boys' and girls' delinquency, dependency and neglect, and special-proceedings cases disposed of, and number of cases of children discharged from supervision by courts in 7 States, by 80 courts that served specified areas with 100,000 or more population, and by 318 courts that served areas with less than 100,000 population in 1935* [1]

Area served by court	Delinquency cases			Dependency and neglect cases			Special-proceedings cases			Cases of children discharged from supervision		
	Total	Boys	Girls	Total	Boys	Girls	Total	Boys	Girls	Total	Boys	Girls
Total cases [2]	71,475	60,480	10,995	24,019	12,298	11,721	1,202	481	721	[3] 20,625	16,316	4,309
State totals: [2]												
Connecticut	4,088	3,637	451	1,311	697	614	2	2	-----	1,254	1,152	102
Indiana	4,028	2,842	1,186	387	175	212	3	2	1	1,340	878	462
Massachusetts	6,095	5,652	443	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----
Michigan	5,165	4,448	717	704	374	330	-----	-----	-----	2,335	1,982	353
New York	10,825	9,369	1,456	8,746	4,508	4,238	485	179	306	4,191	3,441	750
Rhode Island	407	387	20	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----
Utah	2,082	1,762	320	232	132	100	10	5	5	727	624	103
AREAS WITH 100,000 OR MORE POPULATION	59,776	50,714	9,062	20,090	10,239	9,851	1,092	452	640	17,275	13,602	3,673
Alabama: Mobile County (Mobile)	193	152	41	55	28	27	1	1	-----	39	35	4
California:												
Los Angeles County (Los Angeles)	2,517	1,954	563	1,006	579	427	-----	-----	-----	3,366	2,571	795
San Diego County (San Diego)	1,694	1,379	315	471	223	248	84	47	37	212	138	74
San Francisco (city and county)	810	641	169	728	362	366	9	8	1	588	457	131
Colorado: Denver (city and county)	1,170	650	520	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	15	15	-----
Connecticut:												
Fairfield County (Bridgeport)	1,065	921	144	356	191	165	-----	-----	-----	327	295	32
Hartford (city)	699	627	72	178	88	90	2	2	-----	162	145	17
New Haven (city)	276	253	23	160	88	72	-----	-----	-----	124	124	-----
District of Columbia (Washington)	1,836	1,658	178	256	160	96	-----	-----	-----	770	618	152
Florida: Dade County (Miami)	514	441	73	198	98	100	-----	-----	-----	337	242	95
Georgia: Fulton County (Atlanta)	1,547	1,301	246	497	240	257	8	2	6	-----	-----	-----
Indiana: [4]												
Allen County (Fort Wayne)	152	66	86	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	178	70	108
Lake County (Gary)	380	286	94	205	92	113	2	1	1	126	86	40
Marion County (Indianapolis)	1,118	861	257	182	83	99	1	1	-----	143	111	32
St. Joseph County (South Bend)	342	230	112	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	86	53	33
Vanderburgh County (Evansville)	235	174	61	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	52	33	19
Iowa: Polk County (Des Moines)	391	307	84	350	194	156	3	2	1	231	157	74
Louisiana:												
Caddo Parish (Shreveport)	357	293	64	111	50	61	39	20	19	-----	-----	-----
Orleans Parish (New Orleans)	849	756	93	284	164	120	-----	-----	-----	196	177	19
Maryland: Baltimore (city)	2,798	2,545	253	164	88	76	-----	-----	-----	230	177	53

[1] Population according to the 1930 census.

[2] All figures for the States for which totals are given are also shown by courts for areas with 100,000 or more population and included in the group total for areas with less than 100,000 population.

[3] Includes 17,030 delinquency cases, 3,583 dependency and neglect cases, and 12 other cases.

[4] Massachusetts, Indiana (except 2 courts reporting individually), Michigan (except 3 courts reporting individually), and Rhode Island reported only delinquency cases.

TABLE IA.—*Number of boys' and girls' delinquency, dependency and neglect, and special-proceedings cases disposed of, and number of cases of children discharged from supervision by courts in 7 States, by 80 courts that served specified areas with 100,000 or more population, and by 318 courts that served areas with less than 100,000 population in 1935*—Continued

Area served by court	Delinquency cases			Dependency and neglect cases			Special-proceedings cases			Cases of children discharged from supervision		
	Total	Boys	Girls	Total	Boys	Girls	Total	Boys	Girls	Total	Boys	Girls
AREAS WITH 100,000 OR MORE POPULATION—Contd.												
Massachusetts: [4]												
Boston:												
Boston (central section)	622	547	75	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----
Brighton	52	49	3	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----
Charlestown	107	100	7	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----
Dorchester	194	175	19	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----
East Boston	327	305	22	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----
Roxbury	327	306	21	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----
South Boston	235	220	15	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----
West Roxbury	100	95	5	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----
Second district of Bristol (Fall River)	213	203	10	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----
Third district of Bristol (New Bedford)	231	213	18	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----
Lawrence district (Lawrence)	94	85	9	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----
Southern Essex district (Lynn)	164	152	12	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----
Springfield district (Springfield)	269	251	18	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----
First district of Eastern Middlesex (Medford)	258	243	15	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----
Third district of Eastern Middlesex (Cambridge)	369	341	28	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----
Lowell district (Lowell)	135	125	10	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----
Somerville district (Somerville)	96	91	5	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----
East Norfolk district (Quincy)	165	156	9	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----
Central district of Worcester (Worcester)	325	295	30	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----
Michigan: [4]												
Genesee County (Flint)	373	277	96	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	159	148	11
Ingham County (Lansing)	61	53	8	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	34	30	4
Kent County (Grand Rapids)	444	385	59	126	72	54	-----	-----	-----	189	170	19
Oakland County (Pontiac)	162	139	23	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	18	14	4
Saginaw County (Saginaw)	132	114	18	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	90	77	13
Wayne County (Detroit)	2,289	2,109	180	503	261	242	-----	-----	-----	1,218	1,025	193
Minnesota:												
Hennepin County (Minneapolis)	1,128	933	195	335	159	176	-----	-----	-----	925	691	234
Ramsey County (St. Paul)	455	384	71	176	81	95	-----	-----	-----	432	339	93
New Jersey:												
Hudson County (Jersey City)	649	531	118	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	198	198	-----
Mercer County (Trenton)	440	385	55	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	131	121	10
New York:												
Albany County (Albany)	372	295	77	320	171	149	12	7	5	80	66	14
Broome County (Binghamton)	164	141	23	287	146	141	4	-----	4	94	87	7
Chautauqua County (Jamestown)	218	192	26	52	29	23	5	-----	5	-----	-----	-----
Erie County (Buffalo)	1,908	923	85	147	71	76	31	7	24	208	201	7
Monroe County (Rochester	236	205	31	158	71	87	1	-----	1	110	99	11
New York (city)	6,070	5,276	794	3,978	2,070	1,908	267	114	153	2,575	2,003	572
Niagara County (Niagara Falls)	131	114	17	92	41	51	7	-----	7	48	48	-----
Oneida County (Utica)	252	226	26	185	101	84	5	1	4	80	73	7

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Area served by court	Delinquency cases			Delinquency and neglect cases			Special-proceedings cases			Cases of children discharged from supervision		
	Total	Boys	Girls	Total	Boys	Girls	Total	Boys	Girls	Total	Boys	Girls
AREAS WITH 100,000 OR MORE POPULATION—Contd.												
New York—Continued.												
Orange County (Newburgh)	51	45	6	137	73	64	3	----	3	10	8	2
Rensselaer County (Troy)	177	129	48	88	42	46	1	1	----	43	39	4
Schenectady County (Schenectady)	151	142	9	114	60	54	----	----	----	43	41	2
Suffolk County (Patchogue)	63	54	9	17	6	11	----	----	----	41	40	1
Syracuse (city)	278	236	42	103	51	52	5	----	5	126	102	24
Westchester County (Yonkers)	358	297	61	383	190	193	65	35	30	282	242	40
Ohio:												
Franklin County (Columbus)	1,951	1,620	331	464	233	231	----	----	----	----	----	----
Hamilton County (Cincinnati)	2,360	1,755	605	305	131	174	2	----	2	167	144	23
Lucas County (Toledo)	815	585	230	1,302	669	633	72	32	40	75	37	38
Mahoning County (Youngstown)	1,206	1,064	142	84	29	55	----	----	----	----	----	----
Montgomery County (Dayton)	558	426	132	332	159	173	----	----	----	52	39	13
Oregon: Multnomah County (Portland)	969	832	137	672	319	353	2	1	1	254	207	47
Pennsylvania:												
Allegheny County (Pittsburgh)	796	690	106	649	327	322	12	4	8	----	----	----
Berks County (Reading)	74	67	7	7	3	4	2	2	----	21	20	1
Montgomery County (Norristown)	53	47	6	91	53	38	----	----	----	----	----	----
Philadelphia (city and county)	5,735	5,118	617	2,194	1,106	1,088	356	115	241	848	588	260
Rhode Island: Sixth district (Providence) [4]	190	190	----	----	----	----	----	----	----	----	----	----
South Carolina: Greenville County (Greenville)	198	162	36	86	40	46	13	8	5	91	69	22
Utah: Third district (Salt Lake City)	964	827	137	136	78	58	8	4	4	245	220	25
Virginia: Norfolk (city)	728	620	108	99	36	63	2	1	1	176	162	14
Washington:												
Pierce County (Tacoma)	165	121	44	183	86	97	15	10	5	----	----	----
Spokane County (Spokane)	563	472	91	191	96	95	13	12	1	----	----	----
Wisconsin: Milwaukee County (Milwaukee)	3,563	3,086	477	893	451	442	40	14	26	1,030	750	280
AREAS WITH LESS THAN 100,000 POPULATION	11,699	9,766	1,933	3,929	2,059	1,870	110	29	81	3,350	2,714	636
50,000, less than 100,000	5,716	4,768	948	1,591	872	719	63	18	45	1,757	1,406	351
Less than 50,000	5,983	4,998	985	2,338	1,187	1,151	47	11	36	1,593	1,308	285

[4] Massachusetts, Indiana (except 2 courts reporting individually), Michigan (except 3 courts reporting individually), and Rhode Island reported only delinquency cases.

TABLE IB.—*Number of delinquency, dependency and neglect, and special-proceedings cases disposed of, and number of cases of children discharged from supervision by 318 courts that served areas with less than 100,000 population in 1935* [1]

Area served by court	Delinquency cases	Dependency and neglect cases	Special-proceedings cases	Cases of children discharged from supervision
Total	11,699	3,929	110	3,350
Connecticut:				
Ansonia (city)	15	9		10
Avon (town)		1		
Barkhamstead (town)		1		
Berlin (town)		6		
Bloomfield (town)		2		
Bozrah (town)		1		
Branford (town)	3	9		
Bristol (city)	96	24		89
Canaan (town) [2]		1		
Canton (town)	1	2		
Clinton (town)		1		
Colchester (town)	1	1		
Columbia (town) [2]		4		
Derby (city)	52	5		13
East Hampton (town)		11		
East Hartford (town)	169	22		16
East Haven (town)	12	10		4
East Lyme (town)	1	4		
East Windsor (town) [2]	1	1		
Ellington (town) [2]	2	3		
Enfield (town)	110	19		
Glastonbury (town)	2			2
Goshen (town)	1	1		
Griswold (town)		11		
Groton (town)		1		
Guilford (town) [2]	1	4		
Hamden (town)	2	8		
Hebron (town)		1		
Killingly (town)		1		
Ledyard (town)		8		
Litchfield (town)	1			
Lyme (town)		1		
Madison (town)		1		
Manchester (town)	2	23		
Meriden (city)	73	12		50
Middletown (city)	35	20		
Milford (town)	8	9		
Montville (town)	3	1		
Naugatuck (borough)	14	7		2
New Britain (city)	375	40		46
New Hartford (town)		2		
Newington (town)		6		
New London (city)	180	13		111
Norfolk (town)		3		
North Canaan (town) [2]		1		
North Stonington (town)	2	5		
Norwich (city)	117	30		78
Old Lyme (town)		1		
Old Saybrook (town)		1		
Orange (town)	1	1		
Oxford (town)		1		
Plainville (town)	12	13		2
Plymouth (town)		5		
Portland (town)	1			
Rockville (city)	10	1		
Rocky Hill (town)	5			
Salem (town)	1			
Salisbury (town)	1	4		
Saybrook (town) [2]	1	11		
Seymour (town)	1	2		
Sharon (town)		2		
Simsbury (town)	1	2		
Southington (town)	15	10		6
South Windsor (town)		3		
Stafford Springs (borough)		6		
Stonington (town)	6	15		
Suffield (town)		2		
Thomaston (town)		1		
Torrington (city)	23	21		3
Unionville (borough)	2			
Wallingford (borough)	36	3		28

[1] Population according to the 1930 census.

[2] Cases are for the area specified although the probate court serving this area area and dealing with dependency and neglect cases has jurisdiction over a wider territory.

TABLE IB.—*Number of delinquency, dependency and neglect, and special-proceedings cases disposed of, and number of cases of children discharged from supervision by 318 courts that served areas with less than 100,000 population in 1935*—Contd.

Area served by court	Delinquency cases	Dependency and neglect cases	Special-proceedings cases	Cases of children discharged from supervision
Connecticut—Continued.				
Wallingford (town) [2]		2		
Washington (town)		1		
Waterbury (city)	320	34		147
Waterford (town)		13		
Watertown (town)	3	2		
West Hartford (town)	221	6		4
West Haven (town)	24	14		11
Wethersfield (town)	6	1		7
Winchester (town)	20	15		5
Windham (county)	56	63		7
Windsor (town)		8		
Windsor Locks (town)	2	5		
Wolcott (town)	1			
Woodbury (town) [2]		2		
Illinois: Rock Island County	7	58		57
Indiana:				
Adams County	21			37
Bartholomew County	18			18
Benton County	7			
Blackford County	5			3
Boone County	11			8
Clay County	17			3
Clinton County	8			6
DeKalb County	32			8
Delaware County	135			62
DuBois County	16			
Elkhart County	100			19
Floyd County	18			
Franklin County	23			4
Grant County	51			38
Greene County	27			5
Hamilton County	15			25
Henry County	13			8
Howard County	25			4
Huntington County	79			43
Jasper County	1			
Knox County	35			
Kosciusko County	31			3
Lagrange County	13			6
La Porte County	102			28
Lawrence County	16			3
Madison County	103			20
Marshall County	11			13
Monroe County	54			13
Montgomery County	11			4
Owen County	50			1
Parke County	12			1
Pike County	9			1
Porter County	14			3
Posey County	14			1
Putnam County	14			
Rush County	72			63
Starke County	2			2
Steuben County	3			26
Tippecanoe County	99			41
Tipton County	29			5
Vermillion County	75			50
Vigo County	189			148
Wabash County	37			6
Warrick County	4			
Wayne County	126			6
Wells County	33			12
Whitley County	21			8
Iowa: Johnson County	73	53		12
Massachusetts: 54 courts (not reported separately)	1,812			
Michigan:				
Alger County	22			
Allegan County	11			5
Alpena County	31			1
Antrim County	2			
Baraga County	8			8

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TABLE Ib.—*Number of delinquency, dependency and neglect, and special-proceedings cases disposed of, and number of cases of children discharged from supervision by 318 courts that served areas with less than 100,000 population in 1935*—Contd.

Area served by court	Delinquency cases	Dependency and neglect cases	Special-proceedings cases	Cases of children discharged from supervision
Michigan—Continued.				
Bay County	59			48
Benzie County	2			1
Berrien County	33			13
Branch County	21			2
Calhoun County	28			22
Cass County	10			
Charlevoix County	15			7
Cheboygan County	8			19
Chippewa County	28			23
Clare County	2			
Clinton County	12			6
Crawford County	9			8
Delta County	50			18
Dickinson County	19			6
Eaton County	4			4
Emmet County	9			9
Gogebic County	34			36
Grand Traverse County	44			3
Gratiot County	21			1
Hillsdale County	24			8
Houghton County	26			7
Huron County	20			
Ionia County	10			10
Iosco County	11			
Iron County	19			3
Isabella County	11			5
Jackson County	101			82
Kalamazoo County	18			9
Kalkaska County	1			1
Keweenaw County	1			
Lake County	11			
Lapeer County	2			
Leelanau County	3			2
Lenawee County	24			12
Livingston County	10			2
Luce County	11			13
Mackinac County	1			1
Macomb County	42			12
Manistee County	10			4
Marquette County	25			12
Mecosta County	36			6
Menominee County	49			
Midland County	64			9
Missaukee County	3			2
Monroe County	23			36
Montcalm County	40			3
Montmorency County	3			7
Muskegon County	248	75		13
Newaygo County	14			
Oceana County	10			
Ogemaw County	5			1
Ontonagon County	11			8
Osceola County	10			
Oscoda County	1			
Otsego County	9			
Ottawa County	33			3
Presque Isle County	9			
Roscommon County	2			
St. Clair County	94			84
St. Joseph County	10			
Sanilac County	20			
Schoolcroft County	5			3
Shiawassee County	62			5
Van Buren County	29			1
Washtenaw County	30			5
Wexford County	21			18
New York:				
Allegany County	23	117	1	17
Cayuga County	48	90	2	20
Chemung County	154	47		39
Chenango County	20	63	4	
Clinton County	14	25	2	2
Columbia County	57	144	2	29
Cortland County	19	51	1	5

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Area served by court	Delinquency cases	Dependency and neglect cases	Special-proceedings cases	Cases of children discharged from supervision
New York—Continued.				
Delaware County	14	89	1	1
Essex County	25	176		
Franklin County	32	115	7	1
Fulton County	18	26	1	4
Greene County	25	32		
Hamilton County	3	9		
Herkimer County	122	182	3	37
Jefferson County	104	112	7	88
Lewis County	12	57	1	6
Madison County	23	145	2	7
Ontario County	43	55		22
Orleans County	8	27	1	
Oswego County	91	71	2	52
Otsego County	23	100	4	9
Rockland County	21	65	2	35
Saratoga County	20	77	2	2
Schoharie County	9	11	6	
Schuyler County	10	66		2
Seneca County	17	12		12
St. Lawrence County	34	244	15	12
Sullivan County	31	39		1
Tioga County	30	45	1	22
Tompkins County	43	128		4
Ulster County	43	46	1	11
Warren County	130	120	9	11
Washington County	13	63	2	
Wayne County	5	7		
Yates County	12	29		
North Carolina: Buncombe County	227	75	19	143
Ohio:				
Allen County	431	81	1	11
Clark County	305	37	1	28
Lake County	69	65	2	3
Rhode Island:				
First district	17			
Second district	8			
Third district	2			
Fourth district	49			
Fifth district	8			
Seventh district	10			
Eighth district	15			
Ninth district	6			
Tenth district	61			
Eleventh district	9			
Twelfth district	32			
Utah:				
First district	156	2		23
Second district	404	75	1	115
Fourth district	215	8	1	109
Fifth district	124			73
Sixth district	128	6		58
Seventh district	69	5		75
Eighth district	22			29
Virginia: Danville County	489	31		19
Wisconsin: Kenosha (city)	102	56	6	121

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TABLE IIA.—*Age under which juvenile court has original jurisdiction and age when referred to court of boys dealt with in delinquency cases disposed of by the courts in 7 States, 80 courts that served specified areas with 100,000 or more population, and 277 courts that served areas with less than 100,000 population in 1935* [1]

Area served by court	Age under which juvenile court has original jurisdiction	Boys' delinquency cases								
		Total	Age of boy when referred to court							
			Under 10 years	10 years, under 12	12 years, under 14	14 years, under 16	16 years	17 years	18 years and over	Age not reported
Total cases [2]	-------	60,480	3,255	7,630	14,317	24,056	6,779	3,581	389	473
State totals: [2]										
Connecticut	16	3,637	374	651	1,093	1,374	30	8	------	107
Indiana	16	2,842	209	433	789	1,259	120	31	------	1
Massachusetts	17	5,652	222	604	1,201	2,247	1,378	------	------	-------
Michigan	17	4,448	105	466	1,066	1,864	809	131	4	3
New York	16	9,369	533	1,285	2,519	4,876	111	8	1	36
Rhode Island	[3] 16	387	6	42	104	173	------	------	------	62
Utah	18	1,762	71	149	253	530	406	339	10	4
AREAS WITH 100,000 OR MORE POPULATION	-------	50,714	2,615	6,345	11,969	20,372	5,601	3,229	372	211
Alabama: Mobile County	16	152	17	24	50	48	10	3	------	-------
California:										
Los Angeles	21	1,954	19	78	208	558	407	480	155	49
San Diego County	21	1,379	37	56	127	330	336	437	54	2
San Francisco (city and county)	21	641	16	38	107	211	137	111	21	-------
Colorado: Denver (city and county)	18	650	30	73	158	270	79	32	8	-------
Connecticut:										
Fairfield County	16	921	99	164	281	319	25	8	------	25
Hartford (city)	16	627	68	138	194	222	5	------	------	-------
New Haven (city)	16	253	9	24	68	152	------	------	------	-------
District of Columbia	17	1,658	81	222	390	689	263	13	------	-------
Florida: Dade County	17	441	35	61	102	160	66	11	6	-------
Georgia: Fulton County	16	1,301	91	219	442	504	32	11	2	-------
Indiana:										
Allen County	16	66	6	9	16	31	4	------	------	-------
Lake County	16	286	25	52	86	123	------	------	------	-------
Marion County	16	861	49	122	246	436	8	------	------	-------
St. Joseph County	16	230	28	51	61	86	3	1	------	-------
Vanderburgh County	16	174	13	25	45	83	6	1	------	1
Iowa: Polk County	18	307	30	44	62	103	33	29	4	2
Louisiana:										
Caddo Parish	17	293	8	25	67	119	71	1	1	1
Orleans Parish	17	756	27	87	191	301	126	17	7	-------
Maryland: Baltimore (city)	16	2,545	182	504	782	913	114	46	4	-------
Massachusetts:										
Boston:										
Boston (central section)	17	547	20	55	122	236	114	------	------	-------
Brighton	17	49	2	6	12	20	9	------	------	-------
Charlestown	17	100	7	16	19	34	24	------	------	-------
Dorchester	17	175	14	15	23	72	51	------	------	-------
East Boston	17	305	41	57	92	80	35	------	------	-------
Roxbury	17	306	4	28	58	141	75	------	------	-------
South Boston	17	220	12	29	47	82	50	------	------	-------
West Roxbury	17	95	5	11	17	40	22	------	------	-------
Second district of Bristol	17	203	1	28	45	84	45	------	------	-------
Third district of Bristol	17	213	5	17	47	103	41	------	------	-------
Lawrence district	17	85	------	13	20	31	21	------	------	-------
Southern Essex district	17	152	5	17	36	58	36	------	------	-------
Springfield district	17	251	7	28	49	108	59	------	------	-------
First district of eastern Middlesex	17	243	10	9	70	93	61	------	------	-------

[1] Population according to 1930 census.

[2] All figures for the States for which totals are given are also shown by courts for areas with 100,000 or more population and included in the group total for areas with less than 100,000 population.

[3] Courts have jurisdiction over juvenile delinquents under 16 years of age and over wayward children under 18 years of age.

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Area served by court	Age under which juvenile court has original jurisdiction	Boys' delinquency cases								
		Total	Age of boy when referred to court							
			Under 10 years	10 years, under 12	12 years, under 14	14 years, under 16	16 years	17 years	18 years and over	Age not reported
AREAS WITH 100,000 OR MORE POPULATION—Continued.										
Massachusetts—Continued.										
Third district of eastern Middlesex	17	341	17	31	74	136	83			
Lowell district	17	125	2	19	24	55	25			
Somerville district	17	91	1	11	24	36	19			
Eastern Norfolk district	17	156	4	18	33	64	37			
Central district of Worcester	17	295	10	21	55	122	87			
Michigan:										
Genesee County	17	277	5	18	50	135	68			1
Ingham County	17	53		2	12	38	1			
Kent County	17	385	18	47	95	150	72	1		2
Oakland County	17	139			39	76	24			
Saginaw County	17	114		8	18	29	25			34
Wayne County	17	2,109	18	219	521	921	406	20	4	
Minnesota:										
Hennepin County	18	933	35	99	172	304	157	161	4	1
Ramsey County	18	384	3	24	72	120	75	87	3	
New Jersey:										
Hudson County	16	531	26	73	144	282	6			
Mercer County	16	385	29	60	142	151	3			
New York:										
Albany County	16	295	19	32	52	192				
Broome County	16	141	6	34	50	50				1
Chautauqua County	16	192	36	29	48	66				13
Erie County	16	923	35	126	240	500	18	4		
Monroe County	16	205	8	24	57	116				
New York (city)	16	5,276	247	661	1,388	2,921	52	3	1	3
Niagara County	16	114	12	27	39	36				
Oneida County	16	226	5	31	64	122				4
Orange County	16	45	3	5	9	27				1
Rensselaer County	16	129	3	17	31	60	18			
Schenectady County	16	142	12	28	43	56				3
Suffolk County	16	54	2	9	9	34				
Syracuse (city)	16	236	18	38	68	109	3			
Westchester County	16	297	19	39	92	127	18	1		1
Ohio:										
Franklin County	18	1,620	105	195	322	533	269	192	3	1
Hamilton County	18	1,755	90	226	386	539	249	246	19	
Lucas County	18	585	61	59	115	167	103	79	1	
Mahoning County	18	1,064	20	100	191	386	211	156		
Montgomery County	18	426	13	25	98	160	82	45	3	
Oregon: Multnomah County	18	832	63	93	168	281	129	89	3	6
Pennsylvania:										
Allegheny County	16	690	43	87	188	297	42	19	8	6
Berks County	16	67	8	8	22	29				
Montgomery County	16	47	1	3	14	29				
Philadelphia (city and county)	16	5,118	357	848	1,436	2,436	6			35
Rhode Island: Sixth district	[3] 16	190	1	29	58	84				18
South Carolina: Greenville County	16	162	8	27	64	63				
Utah: Third district	18	827	38	78	119	224	190	170	8	
Virginia: Norfolk (city)	18	620	25	53	132	208	100	100	2	
Washington:										
Pierce County	18	121	5	9	20	50	16	20		1
Spokane County	18	472	10	53	82	140	98	89		
Wisconsin: Milwaukee County	18	3,086	171	357	549	871	541	546	51	
AREAS WITH LESS THAN 100,000 POPULATION		9,766	640	1,285	2,348	3,684	1,178	352	17	262
50,000, less than 100,000		4,768	264	581	1,124	1,903	590	193	14	99
Less than 50,000		4,998	376	704	1,224	1,781	588	159	3	163

TABLE IIB.—*Age under which juvenile court has original jurisdiction and age when referred to court of girls dealt with in delinquency cases disposed of by the courts in 7 States, 79 courts that served specified areas with 100,000 or more population, and 226 courts that served areas with less than 100,000 population in 1935* [1]

Area served by court	Age under which juvenile court has original jurisdiction	Girls' delinquency cases								
		Age of girl when referred to court								
		Total	Under 10 years	10 years, under 12	12 years, under 14	14 years, under 16	16 years	17 years	18 years and over	Age not reported
Total cases [2]		10,995	362	597	1,848	5,221	1,731	1,019	117	100
State totals: [2]										
Connecticut	16	451	43	51	96	228	2	1	------	30
Indiana	18	1,186	28	63	177	576	202	138	2	------
Massachusetts	17	443	13	14	59	213	144	------	------	------
Michigan	17	717	12	30	114	356	170	33	1	1
New York	16	1,456	62	92	289	953	49	------	------	11
Rhode Island	[3] 16	20	------	3	------	10	------	------	------	7
Utah	18	320	5	9	21	126	88	67	4	------
AREAS WITH 100,000 OR MORE POPULATION		9,062	273	475	1,551	4,327	1,436	867	111	22
Alabama: Mobile County	16	41	3	7	10	18	3	------	------	------
California:										
Los Angeles County	21	563	3	9	62	204	131	120	27	7
San Diego County	21	315	13	12	34	99	67	71	19	------
San Francisco (city and county)	21	169	1	2	18	64	29	32	23	------
Colorado: Denver (city and county)	18	520	30	40	98	207	94	45	4	2
Connecticut:										
Fairfield County	16	144	16	20	34	70	2	1	------	1
Hartford (city)	16	72	5	5	19	43	------	------	------	------
New Haven (city)	16	23	------	1	2	20	------	------	------	------
District of Columbia	17	178	4	14	42	82	35	------	1	------
Florida: Dade County	17	73	10	5	15	22	17	2	2	------
Georgia: Fulton County	16	246	5	17	62	152	8	2	------	------
Indiana:										
Allen County	18	86	2	5	6	42	12	19	------	------
Lake County	18	94	4	6	15	53	11	5	------	------
Marion County	18	257	4	6	38	124	53	31	1	------
St. Joseph County	18	112	------	3	12	49	30	18	------	------
Vanderburgh County	18	61	1	5	7	32	10	5	1	------
Iowa: Polk County	18	84	12	6	23	27	9	7	------	------
Louisiana:										
Caddo Parish	17	64	2	6	8	30	15	1	2	------
Orleans Parish	17	93	3	7	28	38	15	2	------	------
Maryland: Baltimore (city)	16	253	7	14	65	130	28	9	------	------
Massachusetts:										
Boston:										
Boston (central section)	17	75	1	3	17	36	18	------	------	------
Brighton	17	3	------	1	------	------	2	------	------	------
Charlestown	17	7	------	------	1	3	3	------	------	------
Dorchester	17	19	------	------	1	13	5	------	------	------
East Boston	17	22	6	------	6	6	4	------	------	------
Roxbury	17	21	------	------	1	15	5	------	------	------
South Boston	17	15	------	------	3	8	4	------	------	------
West Roxbury	17	5	------	------	------	2	3	------	------	------
Second district of Bristol	17	10	------	------	1	3	6	------	------	------
Third district of Bristol	17	18	2	------	------	11	5	------	------	------
Lawrence district	17	9	------	------	1	4	4	------	------	------
Southern Essex district	17	12	------	2	1	6	3	------	------	------
Springfield district	17	18	------	1	4	10	3	------	------	------
First district of eastern Middlesex	17	15	------	------	2	5	8	------	------	------
Third district of eastern Middlesex	17	28	------	3	5	11	9	------	------	------
Lowell district	17	10	------	------	1	4	5	------	------	------

[1] Population according to the 1930 census.

[2] All figures for the States for which totals are given are also shown by courts for areas with 100,000 or more population and included in the group total for areas with less than 100,000 population.

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Area served by court	Age under which juvenile court has original jurisdiction	Girls' delinquency cases								
		Age of girl when referred to court								
		Total	Under 10 years	10 years, under 12	12 years, under 14	14 years, under 16	16 years	17 years	18 years and over	Age not reported
AREAS WITH 100,000 OR MORE POPULATION—Continued.										
Massachusetts—Continued.										
Somerville district	17	5	------	------	1	1	3	------	------	------
East Norfolk district	17	9	------	1	------	2	6	------	------	------
Central district of Worcester	17	30	3	1	3	16	7	------	------	------
Michigan:										
Genesee County	17	96	1	1	20	48	21	------	------	5
Ingham County	17	8	------	------	3	5	------	------	------	------
Kent County	17	59	------	1	10	30	16	1	1	------
Oakland County	17	23	------	------	3	9	11	------	------	------
Saginaw County	17	18	------	------	------	9	5	------	------	4
Wayne County	17	180	1	5	25	100	48	1	------	------
Minnesota:										
Hennepin County	18	195	2	5	19	75	45	49	------	------
Ramsey County	18	71	------	3	7	20	17	22	2	------
New Jersey:										
Hudson County	16	118	4	2	21	85	6	------	------	------
Mercer County	16	55	4	9	16	26	------	------	------	------
New York:										
Albany County	16	77	2	6	8	61	------	------	------	------
Broome County	16	23	2	5	5	11	------	------	------	------
Chautauqua County	16	26	6	2	6	11	------	------	------	1
Erie County	16	85	------	6	11	65	3	------	------	------
Monroe County	16	31	1	------	5	25	------	------	------	------
New York (city)	16	794	25	49	181	528	11	------	------	------
Niagara County	16	17	1	------	5	11	------	------	------	------
Oneida County	16	26	------	------	5	21	------	------	------	------
Orange County	16	6	------	------	------	6	------	------	------	------
Rensselaer County	16	48	------	------	6	20	22	------	------	------
Schenectady County	16	9	------	------	3	6	------	------	------	------
Suffolk County	16	9	------	1	1	7	------	------	------	------
Syracuse (city)	16	42	1	6	12	22	1	------	------	------
Westchester County	16	61	1	3	11	36	10	------	------	------
Ohio:										
Franklin County	18	331	4	18	45	156	68	37	3	------
Hamilton County	18	605	7	19	96	230	135	111	7	------
Lucas County	18	230	12	16	37	86	36	41	2	------
Mahoning County	18	142	4	5	23	52	38	20	------	------
Montgomery County	18	132	5	10	20	53	26	18	------	------
Oregon: Multnomah County	18	137	1	7	18	51	36	23	1	------
Pennsylvania:										
Allegheny County	16	106	4	1	18	63	10	7	3	------
Berks County	16	7	------	1	------	6	------	------	------	------
Montgomery County	16	6	------	------	4	2	------	------	------	------
Philadelphia (city and county)	16	617	23	48	144	397	4	------	------	1
Rhode Island: Sixth district	[3] 16	------	------	------	------	------	------	------	------	------
South Carolina: Greenville County	16	36	2	7	12	15	------	------	------	------
Utah: Third district	18	137	2	3	9	60	35	27	1	------
Virginia: Norfolk (city)	18	108	3	11	12	33	28	20	1	------
Washington:										
Pierce County	18	44	2	2	9	17	7	7	------	------
Spokane County	18	91	3	4	15	37	22	10	------	------
Wisconsin: Milwaukee County	18	477	13	17	60	170	103	103	10	1
AREAS WITH LESS THAN 100,000 POPULATION	------	1,933	89	122	297	894	295	152	6	78
50,000, less than 100,000	------	948	52	65	144	468	131	56	5	27
Less than 50,000	------	985	37	57	153	426	164	96	1	51

TABLE IIIa.—*Color, nativity, and parent nativity of boys dealt with in delinquency cases disposed of by the courts in 1 State, 48 courts that served specified areas with 100,000 or more population, and 20 courts that served areas with less than 100,000 population in 1935* [1]

Area served by court	Boys' delinquency cases							
	Total	White boys						Colored boys
		Total	Native, native parentage	Native, foreign or mixed parentage	Native, parentage not reported	Foreign born	Nativity not reported	
Total cases [2]	46,814	35,283	19,994	12,524	1,440	643	682	11,531
State total: Utah [2]	1,762	1,752	1,465	263	8	14	2	10
AREAS WITH 100,000 OR MORE POPULATION	44,058	32,995	18,040	12,227	1,427	631	670	11,063
Alabama: Mobile County	152	64	64					88
California:								
Los Angeles County	1,954	1,858	807	285	329	37	400	96
San Diego County	1,379	1,337	970	311	2	54		42
San Francisco (city and county)	641	615	276	246	56	22	15	26
Colorado: Denver (city and county)	650	618	549	65	1	3		32
Connecticut:								
Bridgeport (city)	313	296	58	214	14	9	1	17
Hartford (city)	627	555	207	332		16		72
District of Columbia	1,658	539	464	43	27	1	4	1,119
Florida: Dade County	441	264	239	22		3		177
Georgia: Fulton County	1,301	509	501	8				792
Indiana:								
Allen County	66	55	49	6				11
Lake County	286	247	108	138		1		39
Marion County	861	552	551			1		309
St. Joseph County	230	219	182	35		2		11
Vanderburgh County	174	145	145					29
Iowa: Polk County	307	275	257	16	1	1		32
Louisiana:								
Caddo Parish	293	138	138					155
Orleans Parish	756	290	215	46	4	1	24	466
Maryland: Baltimore (city)	2,545	1,330	695	422	212		1	1,215
Michigan:								
Kent County	385	366	163	119	68	6	10	19
Oakland County	139	135	127	7		1		4
Wayne County	2,109	1,605	516	1,007	7	74	1	504
Minnesota:								
Hennepin County	933	907	540	291	69	6	1	26
Ramsey County	384	357	265	90		2		27
New Jersey:								
Hudson County	531	510	135	346		28	1	21
Mercer County	385	293	76	208	1	8		92
New York:								
Erie County	923	825	270	523		31	1	98
Monroe County	205	195	65	127		3		10
New York (city)	5,276	4,116	1,103	2,634	182	186	11	1,160
Rensselaer County	129	129	121	8				
Syracuse (city)	236	233	86	137	2	8		3
Westchester County	297	259	72	164	8	12	3	38
Ohio:								
Franklin County	1,620	1,118	977	137		4		502
Hamilton County	1,755	1,133	1,132			1		622
Lucas County	585	492	377	114		1		93
Mahoning County	1,064	902	203	510	48	7	134	162
Montgomery County	426	337	326	10		1		89
Oregon: Multnomah County	832	824	585	148	33	14	44	8
Pennsylvania:								
Allegheny County	690	531	177	346	2	6		159
Berks County	67	67	29	38				
Montgomery County	47	42	19	23				5
Philadelphia (city and county)	5,118	3,147	1,496	1,565	18	54	14	1,971

[1] Population according to the 1930 census.

[2] All figures for the State for which a total is given are also shown by courts for areas with 100,000 or more population and included in the group total for areas with less than 100,000 population.

TABLE IIIA.—*Color, nativity, and parent nativity of boys dealt with in delinquency cases disposed of by the courts in 1 State, 48 courts that served specified areas with 100,000 or more population, and 20 courts that served areas with less than 100,000 population in 1935*—Continued

Area served by court	Boys' delinquency cases							
	Total	White boys						Colored boys
		Total	Native, native parentage	Native, foreign or mixed parentage	Native, parentage not reported	Foreign born	Nativity not reported	
AREAS WITH 100,000 OR MORE POPULATION—Continued.								
South Carolina: Greenville County	162	106	106					56
Utah: Third district	827	825	642	165	6	10	2	2
Virginia: Norfolk (city)	620	224	217	6		1		396
Washington:								
Pierce County	121	119	112	3	1	1	2	2
Spokane County	472	470	371	97	1		1	2
Wisconsin: Milwaukee County	3,086	2,822	1,257	1,215	335	15		264
AREAS WITH LESS THAN 100,000 POPULATION	2,756	2,288	1,954	297	13	12	12	468
50,000, less than 100,000	1,762	1,516	1,262	227	6	9	12	246
Less than 50,000	994	772	692	70	7	3		222

TABLE IIIB.—*Color, nativity, and parent nativity of girls dealt with in delinquency cases disposed of by the courts in 1 State, 48 courts that served specified areas with 100,000 or more population, and 20 courts that served areas with less than 100,000 population in 1935* [1]

Area served by court	Girls' delinquency cases							
	Total	White girls						Colored girls
		Total	Native, native parentage	Native, foreign or mixed parentage	Native, parentage not reported	Foreign born	Nativity not reported	
Total cases [2]	8,879	6,720	4,440	1,656	387	123	114	2,159
State total: Utah [2]	320	314	256	48	4	5	1	6
AREAS WITH 100,000 OR MORE POPULATION	8,298	6,251	4,046	1,587	384	122	112	2,047
Alabama: Mobile County	41	19	19					22
California:								
Los Angeles County	563	526	267	71	100	4	84	37
San Diego County	315	300	240	51	1	7	1	15
San Francisco (city and county)	169	161	57	67	20	12	5	8
Colorado: Denver (city and county)	520	496	410	66	1	15	4	24
Connecticut:								
Bridgeport (city)	49	46	16	27	1	2		3
Hartford (city)	72	60	16	43		1		12
District of Columbia	178	36	31	4	1			142
Florida: Dade County	73	48	40	7		1		25
Georgia: Fulton County	246	90	90					156

[1] Population according to the 1930 census.
[2] All figures for the State for which a total is given are also shown by courts for areas with 100,000 or more population and included in the group total for areas with less than 100,000 population.

TABLE IIIB.—*Color, nativity, and parent nativity of girls dealt with in delinquency cases disposed of by the courts in 1 State, 48 courts that served specified areas with 100,000 or more population, and 20 courts that served areas with less than 100,000 population in 1935*—Continued

Area served by court	Girls' delinquency cases							
	Total	White girls						Colored girls
		Total	Native, native parentage	Native, foreign or mixed parentage	Native, parentage not reported	Foreign born	Nativity not reported	
AREAS WITH 100,000 OR MORE POPULATION—Continued.								
Indiana:								
Allen County	86	75	72	2		1		11
Lake County	94	85	26	59				9
Marion County	257	170	170					87
St. Joseph County	112	105	86	19				7
Vanderburgh County	61	46	46					15
Iowa: Polk County	84	76	69	6	1			8
Louisiana:								
Caddo Parish	64	29	29					35
Orleans Parish	93	32	15	3			14	61
Maryland: Baltimore (city)	253	122	62	30	29	1		131
Michigan:								
Kent County	59	53	25	11	17			6
Oakland County	23	23	20	3				
Wayne County	180	126	61	60		5		54
Minnesota:								
Hennepin County	195	184	109	62	8	3	2	11
Ramsey County	71	70	53	16		1		1
New Jersey:								
Hudson County	118	107	40	64		3		11
Mercer County	55	40	27	13				15
New York:								
Erie County	85	77	33	42		2		8
Monroe County	31	30	17	13				1
New York (city)	794	548	155	312	32	49		246
Rensselaer County	48	48	30	17	1			
Syracuse (city)	42	41	16	23		2		1
Westchester County	61	45	15	29	1			16
Ohio:								
Franklin County	331	224	214	9		1		107
Hamilton County	605	425	410	11	3	1		180
Lucas County	230	176	149	23	2	2		54
Mahoning County	142	122	57	44	20		1	20
Montgomery County	132	114	114					18
Oregon: Multnomah County	137	133	110	14	8		1	4
Pennsylvania:								
Allegheny County	106	75	27	46	1	1		31
Berks County	7	7	2	5				
Montgomery County	6	5	4	1				1
Philadelphia (city and county)	617	286	126	153	5	2		331
South Carolina: Greenville County	36	26	26					10
Utah: Third district	137	136	98	29	4	5		1
Virginia: Norfolk (city)	108	36	34	2				72
Washington:								
Pierce County	44	42	41	1				2
Spokane County	91	90	77	13				1
Wisconsin: Milwaukee County	477	440	195	116	128	1		37
AREAS WITH LESS THAN 100,000 POPULATION	581	469	394	69	3	1	2	112
50,000, less than 100,000	374	320	262	55		1	2	54
Less than 50,000	207	149	132	14	3			58

TABLE IV.—*Source of reference to court of delinquency cases disposed of by the courts in 1 State, 48 courts that served specified areas with 100,000 or more population, and 20 courts that served areas with less than 100,000 population in 1935* [1]

Area served by court	Delinquency cases									
		Source of reference to court								
	Total	Police	School department	Probation officer	Other court	Social agency	Parents or relatives	Other individual	Other source	Source not reported
Total cases [2]	55,693	35,737	3,486	1,477	1,174	1,097	4,866	7,642	206	8
State total: Utah [2]	2,082	1,090	381	265	31	37	98	169	11	------
AREAS WITH 100,000 OR MORE POPULATION	52,356	33,993	2,996	1,165	1,155	1,010	4,675	7,170	185	7
Alabama: Mobile County	193	22	27	21	18	6	40	59	------	------
California:										
Los Angeles County	2,517	1,864	85	49	79	15	133	246	46	------
San Diego County	1,694	540	46	114	744	15	125	109	1	------
San Francisco (city and county)	810	536	30	71	44	13	66	6	4	------
Colorado: Denver (city and county)	1,170	557	233	26	11	28	222	87	4	2
Connecticut:										
Bridgeport (city)	362	233	26	6	------	8	30	58	1	------
Hartford (city)	699	626	42	8	1	7	13	2	------	------
District of Columbia	1,836	1,473	27	62	------	13	166	94	1	------
Florida: Dade County	514	264	43	8	4	9	49	134	3	------
Georgia: Fulton County	1,547	926	41	68	2	7	105	398	------	------
Indiana:										
Allen County	152	75	17	2	4	5	22	24	3	------
Lake County	380	245	45	4	------	7	32	47	------	------
Marion County	1,118	617	77	11	------	8	173	232	------	------
St. Joseph County	342	110	48	4	1	9	43	124	3	------
Vanderburgh County	235	167	22	1	3	12	13	16	1	------
Iowa: Polk County	391	97	36	6	1	1	32	218	------	------
Louisiana:										
Caddo Parish	357	202	11	55	1	3	16	66	2	1
Orleans Parish	849	505	22	2	1	13	151	150	5	------
Maryland: Baltimore (city)	2,798	2,494	4	52	4	104	117	23	------	------
Michigan:										
Kent County	444	347	20	19	------	6	25	27	------	------
Oakland County	162	107	27	7	------	1	10	10	------	------
Wayne County	2,289	1,846	95	23	------	67	166	80	12	------
Minnesota:										
Hennepin County	1,128	935	41	------	------	13	101	35	3	------
Ramsey County	455	371	4	------	------	12	11	57	------	------
New Jersey:										
Hudson County	649	208	178	87	------	56	23	97	------	------
Mercer County	440	400	16	5	------	------	12	7	------	------
New York:										
Erie County	1,008	755	7	24	------	53	82	87	------	------
Monroe County	236	154	3	------	------	13	45	21	------	------
New York (city)	6,070	2,876	94	2	3	165	1,143	1,773	14	------
Rensselaer County	177	57	71	------	------	8	12	29	------	------
Syracuse (city)	278	209	12	1	------	3	37	16	------	------
Westchester County	358	206	63	------	------	34	26	28	1	------
Ohio:										
Franklin County	1,951	1,067	223	130	5	39	124	360	3	------
Hamilton County	2,360	1,764	120	6	30	78	129	228	5	------
Lucas County	815	396	48	2	13	9	136	204	7	------
Mahoning County	1,206	670	275	4	16	13	101	127	------	------
Montgomery County	558	260	98	15	12	15	70	84	4	------
Oregon: Multnomah County	969	616	59	5	1	26	66	188	6	2
Pennsylvania:										
Allegheny County	796	274	10	157	126	27	80	107	13	2
Berks County	74	64	2	------	------	2	4	2	------	------
Montgomery County	53	47	------	------	------	1	4	1	------	------
Philadelphia (city and county)	5,735	3,937	266	2	------	25	428	1,043	34	------
South Carolina: Greenville County	198	132	3	------	2	3	31	27	------	------

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[2] All figures for the State for which a total is given are also shown by courts for areas with 100,000 or more population and included in the group total for areas with less than 100,000 population.

TABLE IV.—*Source of reference to court of delinquency cases disposed of by the courts in 1 State, 48 courts that served specified areas with 100,000 or more population, and 20 courts that served areas with less than 100,000 population in 1935*—Continued

Area served by court	Delinquency cases										
		Source of reference to court									
	Total	Police	School department	Probation officer	Other court	Social agency	Parents or relatives	Other individual	Other source	Source not reported
AREAS WITH 100,000 OR MORE POPULATION—Continued.											
Utah: Third District	964	631	147	10	22	10	45	98	1	-------
Virginia: Norfolk (city)	728	424	28	15	------	------	39	218	4	-------
Washington:										
Pierce County	165	99	14	2	3	4	23	20	------	-------
Spokane County	563	417	36	2	3	28	31	42	4	-------
Wisconsin: Milwaukee County	3,563	3,171	154	77	1	16	83	61	------	-------
AREAS WITH LESS THAN 100,000 POPULATION	3,337	1,744	490	312	19	87	191	472	21	1
50,000, less than 100,000	2,136	1,179	349	84	13	49	130	316	16	-------
Less than 50,000	1,201	565	141	228	6	38	61	156	5	1

TABLE VA.—*Reason for reference to court in boys' delinquency cases disposed of by the courts in 7 States, 80 courts that served specified areas with 100,000 or more population, and 277 courts that served areas with less than 100,000 population in 1935* [1]

Area served by court	Boys' delinquency cases											
		Reason for reference to court										
	Total	Stealing	Act of carelessness or mischief	Traffic violation	Truancy	Running away	Ungovernable	Sex offense	Injury to person	Use, possession, or sale of liquor or drugs	Other reason	Reason not reported
Total cases [2]	60,480	29,906	14,584	2,627	2,953	2,943	3,683	1,162	1,415	302	728	177
State totals: [2]												
Connecticut	3,637	1,427	1,491	10	214	116	150	75	79	4	71	----
Indiana	2,842	1,506	525	9	153	214	285	72	55	16	7	----
Massachusetts	5,652	3,184	1,239	405	318	53	146	85	161	40	21	----
Michigan	4,448	2,845	509	100	324	124	227	114	88	9	61	47
New York	9,369	4,614	2,181	38	298	510	935	139	318	8	210	118
Rhode Island	387	244	27	12	39	4	14	10	8	----	20	9
Utah	1,762	949	222	168	210	72	39	26	24	33	19	----
AREAS WITH 100,000 OR MORE POPULATION	50,714	25,003	12,351	2,302	2,250	2,534	3,241	944	1,157	230	581	121
Alabama: Mobile County	152	63	24	-----	16	10	26	2	9	----	2	----
California:												
Los Angeles County	1,954	1,146	81	416	78	-----	63	95	9	3	63	----
San Diego County	1,379	342	122	570	27	105	79	24	14	18	78	----
San Francisco (city and county)	641	403	33	57	26	10	67	18	13	8	6	----

[1] Population according to the 1930 census.
[2] All figures for the States for which totals are given are also shown by courts for areas with 100,000 or more population and included in the group total for areas with less than 100,000 population.

TABLE VA.—*Reason for reference to court in boys' delinquency cases disposed of by the courts in 7 States, 80 courts that served specified areas with 100,000 or more population, and 277 courts that served areas with less than 100,000 population in 1935*—Continued

Area served by court	Boys' delinquency cases											
		Reason for reference to court										
	Total	Stealing	Act of carelessness or mischief	Traffic violation	Truancy	Running away	Ungovernable	Sex offense	Injury to person	Use, possession, or sale of liquor or drugs	Other reason	Reason not reported
AREAS WITH 100,000 OR MORE POPULATION—Continued.												
Colorado: Denver (city and county)	650	397	56	-----	84	40	47	15	2	9	----	----
Connecticut:												
Fairfield County	921	363	359	1	60	48	51	20	5	----	14	----
Hartford (city)	627	229	287	1	29	16	38	15	12	----	----	----
New Haven (city)	253	132	47	-----	23	11	7	1	14	4	14	----
District of Columbia	1,658	983	319	64	41	2	152	18	62	----	17	----
Florida: Dade County	441	256	55	6	27	60	26	8	1	2	----	----
Georgia: Fulton County	1,301	775	283	-----	20	58	128	11	14	11	1	----
Indiana:												
Allen County	66	44	4	-----	1	9	6	2	-----	----	----	----
Lake County	286	154	62	-----	11	33	15	9	2	----	----	----
Marion County	861	416	93	3	57	78	173	7	29	4	1	----
St. Joseph County	230	103	102	-----	3	5	11	3	-----	2	1	----
Vanderburgh County	174	128	22	1	4	11	6	1	1	----	----	----
Iowa: Polk County	307	97	112	4	3	11	52	-----	6	3	19	----
Louisiana:												
Caddo Parish	293	115	98	25	2	16	11	4	16	4	2	----
Orleans Parish	756	407	152	5	-----	4	132	18	32	4	2	----
Maryland: Baltimore (city)	2,545	984	1,252	-----	1	68	163	13	52	----	12	----
Massachusetts:												
Boston:												
Boston (central section)	547	291	174	16	12	16	17	10	10	1	----	----
Brighton	49	35	3	7	-----	-----	3	-----	1	----	----	----
Charlestown	100	64	19	10	-----	1	1	-----	2	2	1	----
Dorchester	175	88	46	20	2	2	5	3	7	2	----	----
East Boston	305	156	122	7	5	-----	4	5	3	----	3	----
Roxbury	306	152	62	17	44	2	9	6	12	1	1	----
South Boston	220	138	48	19	3	-----	6	-----	-----	5	1	----
West Roxbury	95	35	50	4	1	-----	2	-----	1	2	----	----
Second district of Bristol	203	136	30	4	16	-----	8	4	3	1	1	----
Third district of Bristol	213	150	17	18	8	-----	3	9	6	1	1	----
Lawrence district	85	59	4	5	10	2	2	1	-----	1	1	----
Southern Essex district	152	87	33	7	16	-----	4	-----	4	1	----	----
Springfield district	251	149	44	15	9	-----	11	7	13	3	----	----
First district of eastern Middlesex	243	110	61	23	25	1	5	5	9	4	----	----
Third district of eastern Middlesex	341	215	67	14	2	4	16	7	12	2	2	----
Lowell district	125	80	18	7	5	-----	2	-----	11	1	1	----
Somerville district	91	67	15	3	-----	-----	3	-----	3	----	----	----
East Norfolk district	156	85	26	11	22	-----	5	-----	7	----	----	----
Central district of Worcester	295	130	77	17	43	12	3	1	9	2	1	----
Michigan:												
Genesee County	277	129	36	-----	54	23	26	5	3	----	1	----
Ingham County	53	23	5	-----	19	-----	4	2	-----	----	----	----
Kent County	385	255	56	30	4	10	13	13	4	----	----	----
Oakland County	139	71	26	3	23	5	5	4	1	1	----	----
Saginaw County	114	54	17	2	14	12	9	3	1	----	2	----
Wayne County	2,109	1,603	148	32	100	19	107	42	53	4	1	----
Minnesota:												
Hennepin County	933	589	92	142	18	14	29	17	9	10	13	----
Ramsey County	384	253	38	48	7	-----	16	9	5	3	5	----
New Jersey:												
Hudson County	531	241	59	-----	127	9	71	4	16	----	4	----
Mercer County	385	233	104	-----	9	1	12	3	23	----	----	----
New York:												
Albany County	295	126	6	1	85	30	23	1	8	----	15	----
Broome County	141	95	10	-----	10	4	16	5	1	----	----	----
Chautauqua County	192	120	42	2	3	2	2	2	18	1	----	----
Erie County	923	535	144	3	6	119	62	11	32	----	11	----
Monroe County	205	143	21	-----	5	8	22	1	5	----	----	----
New York (city)	5,276	2,268	1,545	12	15	298	620	74	188	6	132	118

TABLE Va.—*Reason for reference to court in boys' delinquency cases disposed of by the courts in 7 States, 80 courts that served specified areas with 100,000 or more population, and 277 courts that served areas with less than 100,000 population in 1935*—Continued.

Area served by court	Boys' delinquency cases												
		Reason for reference to court											
	Total	Stealing	Act of carelessness or mischief	Traffic violation	Truancy	Running away	Ungovernable	Sex offense	Injury to person	Use, possession, or sale of liquor or drugs	Other reason	Reason not reported
AREAS WITH 100,000 OR MORE POPULATION—Continued.												
New York—Continued.												
Niagara County	114	58	29	----	----	4	10	6	4	1	2	----
Oneida County	226	109	38	2	36	----	9	----	5	----	27	----
Orange County	45	31	1	1	1	----	6	----	3	----	2	----
Rensselaer County	129	41	30	----	34	6	10	2	6	----	----	----
Schenectady County	142	94	29	----	3	1	9	1	1	----	4	----
Suffolk County	54	32	5	1	1	----	6	2	1	----	6	----
Syracuse (city)	236	170	22	2	11	----	23	3	5	----	----	----
Westchester County	297	166	25	8	31	12	29	15	10	----	1	----
Ohio:												
Franklin County	1,620	815	443	12	152	58	56	50	24	9	1	----
Hamilton County	1,755	1,072	443	69	8	74	14	30	23	12	10	----
Lucas County	585	258	170	11	13	43	47	13	19	10	1	----
Mahoning County	1,064	392	304	18	166	85	53	22	11	7	6	----
Montgomery County	426	225	87	4	59	32	5	6	7	1	----	----
Oregon: Multnomah County	832	402	182	34	30	27	97	16	20	15	8	1
Pennsylvania:												
Allegheny County	690	408	129	----	18	33	45	23	32	----	----	2
Berks County	67	52	6	----	1	1	4	1	----	----	2	----
Montgomery County	47	42	2	----	1	1	1	----	----	----	----	----
Philadelphia (city and county)	5,118	1,621	2,187	6	212	650	209	60	112	3	58	----
Rhode Island: Sixth district	190	122	12	6	24	1	----	1	8	----	16	----
South Carolina: Greenville County	162	106	17	----	5	4	17	1	9	3	----	----
Utah: Third district	827	464	90	128	66	24	19	14	8	7	7	----
Virginia: Norfolk (city)	620	333	121	47	18	15	31	8	36	10	1	----
Washington:												
Pierce County	121	66	10	1	9	7	21	3	4	----	----	----
Spokane County	472	207	95	47	11	68	22	3	1	18	----	----
Wisconsin: Milwaukee County	3,086	1,215	1,046	253	105	199	99	126	35	8	----	----
AREAS WITH LESS THAN 100,000 POPULATION	9,766	4,903	2,233	325	703	409	442	218	258	72	147	56
50,000, less than 100,000	4,768	2,531	897	170	418	202	236	99	107	19	71	18
Less than 50,000	4,998	2,372	1,336	155	285	207	206	119	151	53	76	38

TABLE VB.—*Reason for reference to court in girls' delinquency cases disposed of by the courts in 7 States, 79 courts that served specified areas with 100,000 or more population, and 226 courts that served areas with less than 100,000 population in 1935* [1]

Area served by court	Girls' delinquency cases												
		Reason for reference to court											
	Total	Stealing	Act of carelessness or mischief	Traffic violation	Truancy	Running away	Ungovernable	Sex offense	Injury to person	Use, possession, or sale of liquor or drugs	Other reason	Reason not reported
Total cases [2]	10,995	1,339	1,020	144	1,187	1,617	2,879	2,203	237	144	115	110
State totals: [2]												
Connecticut	451	86	59	----	51	47	80	97	11	4	16	----
Indiana	1,186	123	56	----	105	182	327	324	23	40	6	----
Massachusetts	443	81	18	5	33	44	154	80	17	8	2	1
Michigan	717	62	44	2	122	78	241	140	2	4	13	9
New York	1,456	174	87	3	170	261	477	143	22	7	14	98
Rhode Island	20	4	----	----	----	2	----	12	----	----	2	----
Utah	320	46	8	10	119	61	33	31	3	5	4	----
AREAS WITH 100,000 OR MORE POPULATION	9,062	1,104	904	138	895	1,363	2,442	1,738	196	109	73	100
Alabama: Mobile County	41	6	4	----	4	2	19	4	1	----	1	----
California:												
Los Angeles County	563	34	18	21	7	----	23	449	1	5	5	----
San Diego County	315	13	29	64	20	43	83	37	5	13	8	----
San Francisco (city and county)	169	6	----	1	7	43	85	18	1	7	1	----
Colorado: Denver (city and county)	520	71	31	----	97	66	103	130	3	15	2	2
Connecticut:												
Fairfield County	144	21	33	----	15	18	26	27	4	----	----	----
Hartford (city)	72	26	2	----	7	12	7	12	4	2	----	----
New Haven (city)	23	----	1	----	5	2	5	8	----	2	----	----
District of Columbia	178	48	28	4	7	1	70	3	13	1	3	----
Florida: Dade County	73	19	5	----	3	18	21	5	----	2	----	----
Georgia: Fulton County	246	75	61	----	2	34	49	13	7	5	----	----
Indiana:												
Allen County	86	12	6	----	9	7	19	30	----	1	2	----
Lake County	94	21	15	----	8	13	14	21	1	1	----	----
Marion County	257	11	----	----	22	33	122	48	10	11	----	----
St. Joseph County	112	4	2	----	7	31	54	14	----	----	----	----
Vanderburgh County	61	11	3	----	3	12	7	23	1	1	----	----
Iowa: Polk County	84	20	17	----	----	6	39	----	1	1	----	----
Louisiana:												
Caddo Parish	64	8	10	----	1	12	7	11	11	2	2	----
Orleans Parish	93	17	2	1	----	----	59	6	8	----	----	----
Maryland: Baltimore (city)	253	33	50	----	----	16	123	20	7	----	4	----
Massachusetts:												
Boston:												
Boston (central section)	75	31	2	1	2	14	12	9	3	1	----	----
Brighton	3	1	----	----	----	----	1	1	----	----	----	----
Charlestown	7	----	----	1	2	----	2	1	1	----	----	----
Dorchester	19	----	5	1	6	----	7	----	----	----	----	----
East Boston	22	10	2	----	6	----	2	1	1	----	----	----
Roxbury	21	----	----	----	2	4	12	2	----	1	----	----
South Boston	15	1	----	----	1	2	6	4	1	----	----	----
West Roxbury	5	1	2	----	----	----	2	----	----	----	----	----
Second District of Bristol	10	1	----	----	----	----	5	4	----	----	----	----
Third District of Bristol	18	----	----	----	----	----	4	14	----	----	----	----
Lawrence district	9	2	1	----	----	2	----	4	----	----	----	----
Southern Essex district	12	3	3	----	----	----	4	2	----	----	----	----
Springfield district	18	3	----	----	1	----	12	2	----	----	----	----
First district of eastern Middlesex	15	2	----	----	----	3	9	1	----	----	----	----
Third district of eastern Middlesex	28	3	1	----	1	5	9	4	4	1	----	----

[1] Population according to the 1930 census.

[2] All figures for the States for which totals are given are also shown by courts for areas with 100,000 or more population and included in the group total for areas with less than 100,000 population.

TABLE V*b*.—*Reason for reference to court in girls' delinquency cases disposed of by the courts in 7 States, 79 courts that served specified areas with 100,000 or more population, and 226 courts that served areas with less than 100,000 population in 1935*—Continued

Area served by court	Girls' delinquency cases											
		Reason for reference to court										
	Total	Stealing	Act of carelessness or mischief	Traffic violation	Truancy	Running away	Ungovernable	Sex offense	Injury to person	Use, possession, or sale of liquor or drugs	Other reason	Reason not reported
AREAS WITH 100,000 OR MORE POPULATION—Continued.												
Massachusetts—Continued.												
Lowell district	10	4	-	-	-	-	4	1	-	1	-	-
Somerville district	5	2	-	-	-	-	2	-	-	1	-	-
East Norfolk district	9	-	-	-	1	1	5	-	1	1	-	-
Central district of Worcester	30	3	-	1	4	5	11	5	-	-	1	-
Michigan:												
Genesee County	96	6	26	-	25	13	3	23	-	-	-	-
Ingham County	8	-	-	-	2	3	1	2	-	-	-	-
Kent County	59	7	-	-	5	11	13	22	-	-	1	-
Oakland County	23	1	-	-	9	6	3	3	-	1	-	-
Saginaw County	18	1	-	-	5	4	4	3	-	-	1	-
Wayne County	180	12	2	1	24	5	119	16	1	-	-	-
Minnesota:												
Hennepin County	195	31	6	10	10	41	38	46	-	1	12	-
Ramsey County	71	11	-	-	1	1	31	27	-	-	-	-
New Jersey:												
Hudson County	118	6	-	-	63	3	25	20	-	-	1	-
Mercer County	55	19	13	-	3	-	9	4	7	-	-	-
New York:												
Albany County	77	5	-	-	43	6	13	3	-	2	5	-
Broome County	23	4	1	-	8	-	3	7	-	-	-	-
Chautauqua County	26	3	10	1	2	1	2	6	1	-	-	-
Erie County	85	26	3	-	3	19	20	9	2	1	2	-
Monroe County	31	3	-	-	-	8	13	7	-	-	-	-
New York (city)	794	89	48	1	4	188	302	44	15	4	1	98
Niagara County	17	1	1	-	1	7	6	1	-	-	-	-
Oneida County	26	1	-	-	18	-	4	-	-	-	3	-
Orange County	6	-	-	-	-	-	6	-	-	-	-	-
Rensselaer County	48	-	2	-	36	4	5	-	1	-	-	-
Schenectady County	9	3	2	-	-	-	3	1	-	-	-	-
Suffolk County	9	3	-	-	-	-	6	-	-	-	-	-
Syracuse (city)	42	16	-	-	4	1	14	7	-	-	-	-
Westchester County	61	3	-	-	22	3	20	13	-	-	-	-
Ohio:												
Franklin County	331	30	24	-	63	51	76	83	2	1	1	-
Hamilton County	605	39	37	3	68	190	164	81	18	3	2	-
Lucas County	230	21	35	1	9	43	68	44	4	5	-	-
Mahoning County	142	7	28	-	42	17	38	9	-	-	1	-
Montgomery County	132	10	40	-	27	22	12	21	-	-	-	-
Oregon: Multnomah County	137	19	6	2	8	17	37	41	1	1	5	-
Pennsylvania:												
Allegheny County	106	10	4	-	3	28	28	25	8	-	-	-
Berks County	7	2	-	-	1	2	-	2	-	-	-	-
Montgomery County	6	1	-	-	-	1	1	3	-	-	-	-
Philadelphia (city and county)	617	58	105	-	35	154	169	67	20	5	4	-
Rhode Island: Sixth district	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
South Carolina: Greenville County	36	8	8	-	-	4	10	2	3	1	-	-
Utah: Third district	137	21	1	8	48	22	16	14	1	4	2	-
Virginia: Norfolk (city)	108	22	8	-	11	6	26	14	17	3	1	-
Washington:												
Pierce County	44	2	1	-	4	15	7	15	-	-	-	-
Spokane County	91	24	7	2	1	30	18	9	-	-	-	-
Wisconsin: Milwaukee County	477	56	153	14	37	32	65	110	6	2	2	-
AREAS WITH LESS THAN 100,000 POPULATION	1,933	235	116	6	292	254	437	465	41	35	42	10
50,000, less than 100,000	948	114	52	2	200	91	217	230	10	6	24	2
Less than 50,000	985	121	64	1	92	163	220	235	31	29	18	8

TABLE VI.—*Place of care of child pending hearing or disposition in delinquency cases disposed of by the courts in 1 State, 48 courts that served specified areas with 100,000 or more population, and 20 courts that served areas with less than 100,000 population in 1935* [1]

Area served by court	Delinquency cases								
			Detention care overnight or longer in specified place						
	Total	No detention care	Boarding home or other family home	Detention home [2]	Other institution	Jail or police station [3]	Other place of care [4]	Place of care not reported	No report as to detention care
Total cases [5]	55,693	32,598	603	15,073	3,860	1,692	386	50	1,431
State total: Utah [5]	2,082	1,691	4	141	20	132	93	----	1
AREAS WITH 100,000 OR MORE POPULATION	52,356	30,105	568	14,825	3,829	1,463	86	50	1,430
Alabama: Mobile County	193	85	----	90	----	18	----	----	----
California:									
Los Angeles County	2,517	259	----	665	----	314	10	----	1,269
San Diego County	1,694	1,158	2	498	4	32	----	----	----
San Francisco (city and county)	810	306	----	494	2	8	----	----	----
Colorado: Denver (city and county)	1,170	631	----	429	7	80	----	2	21
Connecticut:									
Bridgeport (city)	362	258	----	99	----	1	----	----	4
Hartford (city)	699	587	----	111	1	----	----	----	----
District of Columbia	1,836	1,371	----	458	3	4	----	----	----
Florida: Dade County	514	426	1	----	22	1	64	----	----
Georgia: Fulton County	1,547	1,015	3	524	5	----	----	----	----
Indiana:									
Allen County	152	93	1	55	----	3	----	----	----
Lake County	380	314	----	64	----	2	----	----	----
Marion County	1,118	122	1	994	1	----	----	----	----
St. Joseph County	342	312	3	----	1	26	----	----	----
Vanderburgh County	235	227	1	----	2	2	3	----	----
Iowa: Polk County	391	278	1	94	----	18	----	----	----
Louisiana:									
Caddo Parish	357	213	3	130	2	8	1	----	----
Orleans Parish	849	301	----	502	46	----	----	----	----
Maryland: Baltimore (city)	2,798	2,574	1	----	222	----	1	----	----
Michigan:									
Kent County	444	207	----	237	----	----	----	----	----
Oakland County	162	69	1	91	1	----	----	----	----
Wayne County	2,289	938	----	1,351	----	----	----	----	----
Minnesota:									
Hennepin County	1,128	1,039	33	----	3	52	1	----	----
Ramsey County	455	338	----	----	63	54	----	----	----
New Jersey:									
Hudson County	649	371	----	277	1	----	----	----	----
Mercer County	440	391	----	49	----	----	----	----	----
New York:									
Erie County	1,008	614	392	----	2	----	----	----	----
Monroe County	236	193	2	----	41	----	----	----	----
New York (city)	6,070	2,953	3	----	3,113	1	----	----	----
Rensselaer County	177	128	----	----	49	----	----	----	----
Syracuse (city)	278	94	----	184	----	----	----	----	----
Westchester County	358	203	16	----	139	----	----	----	----
Ohio:									
Franklin County	1,951	1,005	1	573	36	336	----	----	----
Hamilton County	2,360	935	4	1,415	4	2	----	----	----
Lucas County	815	488	7	228	6	85	1	----	----
Mahoning County	1,206	582	----	500	2	122	----	----	----
Montgomery County	558	336	----	173	----	49	----	----	----
Oregon: Multnomah County	969	734	----	148	16	64	----	----	7

[1] Population according to the 1930 census.

[2] Includes cases of children cared for part of the time in detention homes and part of the time elsewhere, but excludes cases of children also held in jails or police stations.

[3] Includes a few cases of children cared for part of the time in jails or police stations and part of the time elsewhere.

[4] Includes a few cases of children held in more than 1 place of care but in places other than detention homes, jails, or police stations.

[5] All figures for the State for which a total is given are also shown by courts for areas with 100,000 or more population and included in the group total for areas with less than 100,000 population.

TABLE VI.—*Place of care of child pending hearing or disposition in delinquency cases disposed of by the courts in 1 State, 48 courts that served specified areas with 100,000 or more population, and 20 courts that served areas with less than 100,000 population in 1935*—Continued

Area served by court	Delinquency cases								
			Detention care overnight or longer in specified place						
	Total	No detention care	Boarding home or other family home	Detention home	Other institution	Jail or police station	Other place of care	Place of care not reported	No report as to detention care
AREAS WITH 100,000 OR MORE POPULATION—Con.									
Pennsylvania:									
Allegheny County	796	353	1	302	9	2	----	----	129
Berks County	74	68	------	------	3	1	2	----	-----
Montgomery County	53	9	------	44	------	------	----	----	-----
Philadelphia (city and county)	5,735	4,316	------	1,366	5	------	----	48	-----
South Carolina: Greenville County	198	170	1	------	------	27	----	----	-----
Utah: Third district	964	763	------	141	11	49	----	----	-----
Virginia: Norfolk (city)	728	309	90	288	4	37	----	----	-----
Washington:									
Pierce County	165	88	------	58	1	18	----	----	-----
Spokane County	563	255	------	271	2	35	----	----	-----
Wisconsin: Milwaukee County	3,563	1,626	------	1,922	------	12	3	----	-----
AREAS WITH LESS THAN 100,000 POPULATION	3,337	2,493	35	248	31	229	300	----	1
50,000, less than 100,000	2,136	1,573	11	240	10	196	105	----	1
Less than 50,000	1,201	920	24	8	21	33	195	----	-----

TABLE VII.—*Manner of handling delinquency cases disposed of by the courts in 7 States, 80 courts that served specified areas with 100,000 or more population, and 284 courts that served areas with less than 100,000 population in 1935* [1]

Area served by court	Delinquency cases		
	Total	Official	Unofficial
Total cases [2]	71,475	49,031	22,444
State totals: [2]			
Connecticut	4,088	1,879	2,209
Indiana	4,028	1,936	2,092
Massachusetts	6,095	6,095	----
Michigan	5,165	5,165	----
New York	10,825	10,819	6
Rhode Island	407	407	----
Utah	2,082	1,135	947
AREAS WITH 100,000 OR MORE POPULATION	59,776	41,151	18,625
Alabama: Mobile County	193	193	----
California:			
Los Angeles County	2,517	2,517	----
San Diego County	1,694	1,147	547
San Francisco (city and county)	810	810	----
Colorado: Denver (city and county)	1,170	579	591
Connecticut:			
Fairfield County	1,065	368	697
Hartford (city)	699	334	365
New Haven (city)	276	276	----
District of Columbia	1,836	1,305	531
Florida: Dade County	514	514	----
Georgia: Fulton County	1,547	677	870
Indiana:			
Allen County	152	110	42
Lake County	380	125	255
Marion County	1,118	918	200
St. Joseph County	342	74	268
Vanderburgh County	235	57	178
Iowa: Polk County	391	112	279

[1] Population according to the 1930 census.

[2] All figures for the States for which totals are given are also shown by courts for areas with 100,000 or more population and included in the group total for areas with less than 100,000 population.

TABLE VII.—*Manner of handling delinquency cases disposed of by the courts in 7 States, 80 courts that served specified areas with 100,000 or more population, and 284 courts that served areas with less than 100,000 population in 1935*—Contd.

Area served by court	Delinquency cases		
	Total	Official	Unofficial
AREAS WITH 100,000 OR MORE POPULATION—Continued.			
Louisiana:			
Caddo Parish	357	327	30
Orleans Parish	849	849	
Maryland: Baltimore (city)	2,798	2,798	
Massachusetts:			
Boston:			
Boston (central section)	622	622	
Brighton	52	52	
Charlestown	107	107	
Dorchester	194	194	
East Boston	327	327	
Roxbury	327	327	
South Boston	235	235	
West Roxbury	100	100	
Second district of Bristol	213	213	
Third district of Bristol	231	231	
Lawrence district	94	94	
Southern Essex district	164	164	
Springfield district	269	269	
First district of eastern Middlesex	258	258	
Third district of eastern Middlesex	369	369	
Lowell district	135	135	
Somerville district	96	96	
East Norfolk district	165	165	
Central district of Worcester	325	325	
Michigan:			
Genesee County	373	373	
Ingham County	61	61	
Kent County	444	444	
Oakland County	162	162	
Saginaw County	132	132	
Wayne County	2,289	2,289	
Minnesota:			
Hennepin County	1,128	1,128	
Ramsey County	455	455	
New Jersey:			
Hudson County	649	649	
Mercer County	440	440	
New York:			
Albany County	372	372	
Broome County	164	164	
Chatauqua County	218	218	
Erie County	1,008	1,008	
Monroe County	236	236	
New York (city)	6,070	6,070	
Niagara County	131	131	
Oneida County	252	252	
Orange County	51	51	
Rensselaer County	177	177	
Schenectady County	151	151	
Suffolk County	63	63	
Syracuse (city)	278	278	
Westchester County	358	352	6
Ohio:			
Franklin County	1,951	491	1,460
Hamilton County	2,360	108	2,252
Lucas County	815	221	594
Mahoning County	1,206	395	811
Montgomery County	558	110	448
Oregon: Multonmah County	969	189	780
Pennsylvania:			
Allegheny County	796	796	
Berks County	74	74	
Montgomery County	53	53	
Philadelphia (city and county)	5,735	1,694	4,041
Rhode Island: Sixth district	190	190	
South Carolina: Greenville County	198	150	48
Utah: Third district	964	548	416
Virginia: Norfolk (city)	728	728	
Washington:			
Pierce County	165	95	70
Spokane County	563	207	356
Wisconsin: Milwaukee County	3,563	1,073	2,490
AREAS WITH LESS THAN 100,000 POPULATION	11,699	7,880	3,819
50,000, less than 100,000	5,716	3,716	2,000
Less than 50,000	5,983	4,164	1,819

TABLE VIIIA.—*Disposition of boys' delinquency cases by the courts of 7 States, 80 courts that served specified areas with 100,000 or more population, and 277 courts that served areas with less than 100,000 population in 1935* [1]

Area served by court	Boys' delinquency cases											
	Total	Child kept under supervision of court			Child not kept under supervision of court							
		Probation officer supervising	Agency or individual supervising	Under temporary care of an institution	Case dismissed or adjusted	Committed to—		Referred without commitment to—		Restitution, fine, or costs ordered	Other disposition of case	Case held open without further action	Disposition not reported
						Institution	Agency or individual	Institution	Agency or individual				
Total cases [2]	60,480	21,761	786	932	22,517	4,768	420	283	1,024	856	2,355	4,777	1
State totals: [2]													
Connecticut	3,637	1,217	29	23	1,837	158	11	15	167	47	83	50	
Indiana	2,842	1,173	36	9	841	258	6	3	22	16	134	344	
Massachusetts	5,652	3,167			623	372	36			90	59	1,305	
Michigan	4,448	2,262	213	117	986	349	16	4		1	205	295	
New York	9,369	3,960	97	1	3,152	789	150	52	26	117	201	824	
Rhode Island	387	255		46	2	82				2			
Utah	1,762	726	52	4	680	96	3	8	5	94	53	41	
AREAS WITH 100,000 OR MORE POPULATION	50,714	17,636	668	817	19,514	4,019	358	259	860	510	1,970	4,102	1
Alabama: Mobile County	152	51	1	45	21	34							
California:													
Los Angeles County	1,954	1,208		167	414	71	52				42		
San Diego County	1,379	109	2	67	865	27		2	4		88	215	
San Francisco (city and county)	641	506	25	16	60	22		2	1		9		
Colorado: Denver (city and county)	650	424	29	7	66	62		9	12	12	7	22	
Connecticut:													
Fairfield County	921	263	1		493	36		5	38	22	34	29	
Hartford (city)	627	185	1		389	15	7	4		11	15		
New Haven (city)	253	104	25	1	78	30	1		1		10	3	
District of Columbia	1,658	670	165		492	169	22	3	32	40	15	50	
Florida: Dade County	441	173		97	86	40	3		4		32	6	
Georgia: Fulton County	1,301	220			35	291	4	1	3		31	716	
Indiana:													
Allen County	66	42	6	1		11	1				5		
Lake County	286	72	10	4	128	22	3	1	9	9	25	3	
Marion County	861	289	2		93	100			1		56	320	
St. Joseph County	230	68	1		139	7		1	9		5		
Vanderburgh County	174	43	3		90	22		1	2	5	8		
Iowa: Polk County	307	76		1	209	10			1		10		
Louisiana:													
Caddo Parish	293	12	8		98	86	5		10	38	9	27	
Orleans Parish	756	195	6		78	185			7	16	9	260	
Maryland: Baltimore (city)	2,545	354	1		1,541	236		86	205	18	104		
Massachusetts:													
Boston:													
Boston (central section)	547	242			19	21	1					264	
Brighton	49	18			11	1						19	
Charlestown	100	55			10	1	1			3	4	26	
Dorchester	175	87			58	5	3				5	17	
East Boston	305	174			33	4				2	4	88	
Roxbury	306	164			21	17				4	6	94	
South Boston	220	159			16	12	2			1		30	
West Roxbury	95	34			27	5	1					28	
Second district of Bristol	203	170			3	13						17	
Third district of Bristol	213	180			6	7					4	16	
Lawrence district	85	52			1	21	1				1	9	
Southern Essex district	152	87			10	17	1			1	3	33	

[1] Population according to the 1930 census.

[2] All figures for the States for which totals are given are also shown by courts for areas with 100,000 or more population and included in the group total for areas with less than 100,000 population.

TABLE VIIIa.—*Disposition of boys' delinquency cases by the courts of 7 States, 80 courts that served specified areas with 100,000 or more population, and 277 courts that served areas with less than 100,000 population in 1935*—Continued

Area served by court	Boys' delinquency cases												
		Child kept under supervision of court			Child not kept under supervision of court								
						Committed to—		Referred without commitment to—					
	Total	Probation officer supervising	Agency or individual supervising	Under temporary care of an institution	Case dismissed or adjusted	Institution	Agency or individual	Institution	Agency or individual	Restitution, fine, or costs ordered	Other disposition of case	Case held open without further action	Disposition not reported
AREAS WITH 100,000 OR MORE POPULATION—Continued.													
Massachusetts—Continued.													
Springfield district	251	160	----	----	13	22	2	----	----	8	1	45	----
First district of eastern Middlesex	243	163	----	----	21	13	----	----	----	2	1	43	----
Third district of eastern Middlesex	341	180	----	----	64	11	2	----	----	1	5	78	----
Lowell district	125	84	----	----	13	5	1	----	----	1	----	21	----
Somerville district	91	75	----	----	4	3	2	----	----	----	3	4	----
East Norfolk district	156	64	----	----	65	12	3	----	----	2	1	9	----
Central district of Worcester	295	146	----	----	30	11	1	----	----	3	1	103	----
Michigan:													
Genesee County	277	26	106	7	69	14	1	1	----	----	53	----	----
Ingham County	53	35	----	----	8	6	----	----	----	----	4	----	----
Kent County	385	133	10	83	110	24	----	----	----	1	2	22	----
Oakland County	139	21	29	1	72	8	----	----	----	----	3	5	----
Saginaw County	114	73	2	----	18	6	----	2	----	----	11	2	----
Wayne County	2,109	1,296	28	----	364	175	1	----	----	----	32	213	----
Minnesota:													
Hennepin County	933	392	----	141	57	28	----	1	1	----	20	293	----
Ramsey County	384	237	4	59	57	19	----	----	----	----	8	----	----
New Jersey:													
Hudson County	531	188	----	----	176	151	2	1	3	9	1	----	----
Mercer County	385	228	----	----	143	13	----	1	----	----	----	----	----
New York:													
Albany County	295	110	----	----	118	14	----	----	----	----	34	19	----
Broome County	141	69	----	----	5	8	44	----	----	----	----	15	----
Chautauqua County	192	24	5	----	103	24	----	----	----	6	----	30	----
Erie County	923	184	----	----	194	62	44	11	10	23	103	292	----
Monroe County	205	113	----	----	54	31	7	----	----	----	----	----	----
New York (city)	5,276	2,444	46	1	2,020	397	4	37	10	31	24	262	----
Niagara County	114	37	----	----	34	13	5	----	----	----	----	25	----
Oneida County	226	135	----	----	71	19	----	----	----	----	----	1	----
Orange County	45	12	7	----	8	13	----	----	----	----	----	5	----
Rensselaer County	129	38	----	----	53	14	----	2	3	10	----	9	----
Schenectady County	142	52	----	----	61	19	1	----	----	2	----	7	----
Suffolk County	54	32	2	----	4	8	8	----	----	----	----	----	----
Syracuse (city)	236	133	----	----	6	22	6	1	2	----	----	66	----
Westchester County	297	199	6	----	53	14	10	----	1	----	8	6	----
Ohio:													
Franklin County	1,620	273	7	3	1,195	79	5	15	13	1	27	2	----
Hamilton County	1,755	275	1	13	982	39	10	23	218	----	186	8	----
Lucas County	585	67	4	3	323	40	7	5	77	31	21	7	----
Mahoning County	1,064	326	6	1	562	50	2	8	9	32	64	4	----
Montgomery County	426	96	1	9	182	30	1	----	13	24	22	48	----
Oregon: Multnomah County	832	223	2	36	505	22	2	7	19	1	10	4	1
Pennsylvania:													
Allegheny County	690	436	1	5	89	154	1	----	----	----	4	----	----
Berks County	67	46	----	----	----	19	1	----	----	----	1	----	----
Montgomery County	47	34	----	----	4	7	----	----	----	----	2	----	----
Philadelphia (city and county)	5,118	752	----	----	3,124	470	63	----	81	53	533	42	----
Rhode Island: Sixth district	190	123	----	23	----	44	----	----	----	----	----	----	----
South Carolina: Greenville County	162	96	----	----	34	14	3	2	5	----	1	7	----
Utah: Third district	827	333	22	3	418	35	----	----	1	4	11	----	----
Virginia: Norfolk (city)	620	213	54	----	173	70	5	1	2	58	14	30	----
Washington:													
Pierce County	121	11	6	----	33	15	----	2	4	----	8	42	----
Spokane County	472	21	23	1	203	41	4	11	38	24	84	22	----
Wisconsin: Milwaukee County	3,086	742	10	22	2,029	111	2	13	11	1	126	19	----
AREAS WITH LESS THAN 100,000 POPULATION	9,766	4,125	118	115	3,003	749	62	24	164	346	385	675	----
50,000, less than 100,000	4,768	2,087	48	87	1,393	333	30	9	137	122	171	351	----
Less than 50,000	4,998	2,038	70	28	1,610	416	32	15	27	224	214	324	----

TABLE VIIIB.—*Disposition of girls' delinquency cases by the courts of 7 States, 79 courts that served specified areas with 100,000 or more population, and 226 courts that served areas with less than 100,000 population in 1935* [1]

Area served by court	Girls' delinquency cases												
		Child kept under supervision of court			Child not kept under supervision of court								
						Committed to—		Referred without commitment to—					
	Total	Probation officer supervising	Agency or individual supervising	Under temporary care of an institution	Case dismissed or adjusted	Institution	Agency or individual	Institution	Agency or individual	Restitution, fine, or costs ordered	Other disposition of case	Case held open without further action	Disposition not reported
Total cases [2]	10,995	3,664	188	422	3,149	1,339	216	85	445	67	635	784	1
State totals: [2]													
Connecticut	451	113	11	2	143	76	6	----	49	5	30	16	----
Indiana	1,186	497	11	27	330	129	8	5	21	----	65	93	----
Massachusetts	443	229	----	----	49	78	15	----	----	3	3	66	----
Michigan	717	280	15	32	156	99	8	2	2	----	78	45	----
New York	1,456	569	39	----	389	283	57	8	7	9	19	76	----
Rhode Island	20	16	----	----	----	4	----	----	----	----	----	----	----
Utah	320	119	14	1	129	14	2	3	5	7	10	16	----
AREAS WITH 100,000 OR MORE POPULATION	9,062	3,003	151	396	2,595	1,026	182	76	397	18	515	702	1
Alabama: Mobile County	41	8	1	15	10	7	----	----	----	----	----	----	----
California:													
Los Angeles County	563	404	----	67	48	24	17	----	----	----	3	----	----
San Diego County	315	24	1	40	194	4	----	----	6	----	25	21	----
San Francisco (city and county)	169	112	10	17	17	4	----	----	----	----	9	----	----
Colorado: Denver (city and county)	520	305	9	16	29	54	1	2	4	----	29	70	1
Connecticut:													
Fairfield County	144	24	3	----	54	15	1	----	21	3	13	10	----
Hartford (city)	72	29	1	----	23	10	2	----	----	----	7	----	----
New Haven (city)	23	----	4	1	5	8	1	----	----	----	4	----	----
District of Columbia	178	62	37	----	49	13	3	1	4	1	1	7	----
Florida: Dade County	73	23	3	29	6	1	----	1	1	----	7	2	----
Georgia: Fulton County	246	31	----	----	4	19	4	2	6	----	10	170	----
Indiana:													
Allen County	86	57	3	22	----	3	----	----	----	----	1	----	----
Lake County	94	24	1	1	40	7	5	----	5	----	6	5	----
Marion County	257	88	2	----	58	11	1	2	4	----	11	80	----
St. Joseph County	112	34	----	----	52	4	----	1	3	----	18	----	----
Vanderburgh County	61	22	1	----	17	7	----	----	1	----	12	1	----
Iowa: Polk County	84	10	----	3	60	7	----	----	----	----	4	----	----
Louisiana:													
Caddo Parish	64	1	3	1	19	17	3	----	7	1	7	5	----
Orleans Parish	93	13	----	----	9	19	1	1	2	1	1	46	----
Maryland: Baltimore (city)	253	47	----	----	82	83	----	3	33	----	5	----	----
Massachusetts:													
Boston:													
Boston (central section)	75	45	----	----	3	8	----	----	----	----	2	17	----
Brighton	3	----	----	----	----	1	1	----	----	----	----	1	----
Charlestown	7	3	----	----	----	----	----	----	----	1	----	3	----
Dorchester	19	12	----	----	6	----	----	----	----	----	----	1	----
East Boston	22	14	----	----	2	1	----	----	----	----	1	4	----
Roxbury	21	11	----	----	2	6	----	----	----	----	----	2	----
South Boston	15	4	----	----	2	5	----	----	----	----	----	4	----
West Roxbury	5	1	----	----	----	2	----	----	----	----	----	2	----
Second district of Bristol	10	8	----	----	----	2	----	----	----	----	----	----	----
Third district of Bristol	18	12	----	----	3	1	1	----	----	----	----	1	----
Lawrence district	9	6	----	----	----	3	----	----	----	----	----	----	----
Southern Essex district	12	5	----	----	1	3	1	----	----	----	----	2	----
Springfield district	18	7	----	----	1	6	1	----	----	----	----	3	----
First district of eastern Middlesex	15	7	----	----	----	4	3	----	----	----	----	1	----

[1] Population according to the 1930 census.

[2] All figures for the States for which totals are given are also shown by courts for areas with 100,000 or more population and included in the group total for areas with less than 100,000 population.

TABLE VIIIB.—*Disposition of girls' delinquency cases by the courts of 7 States, 79 courts that served specified areas with 100,000 or more population, and 226 courts that served areas with less than 100,000 population in 1935*—Continued

Area served by court	Girls' delinquency cases												
		Child kept under supervision of court			Child not kept under supervision of court								
						Committed to—		Referred without commitment to—					
	Total	Probation officer supervising	Agency or individual supervising	Under temporary care of an institution	Case dismissed or adjusted	Institution	Agency or individual	Institution	Agency or individual	Restitution, fine, or costs ordered	Other disposition of case	Case held open without further action	Disposition not reported
AREAS WITH 100,000 OR MORE POPULATION—Continued.													
Massachusetts—Continued.													
Third district of eastern Middlesex	28	14			11	1	1					1	
Lowell district	10	5			1	3						1	
Somerville district	5	3			1							1	
East Norfolk district	9	1			4	3						1	
Central district of Worcester	30	21			1	1	1			1		5	
Michigan:													
Genesee County	96	28	1	3	34	7					23		
Ingham County	8	5				3							
Kent County	59	18		10	13	14			1		1	2	
Oakland County	23	9		2	11						1		
Saginaw County	18	10			1	3	1				3		
Wayne County	180	102	7		12	31					1	27	
Minnesota:													
Hennepin County	195	89		56	10	10		1			2	27	
Ramsey County	71	21	2	35	6	6					1		
New Jersey:													
Hudson County	118	28			51	38			1				
Mercer County	55	19			26	9						1	
New York:													
Albany County	77	17			46	8					4	2	
Broome County	23	7			1	6	7					2	
Chautauqua County	26		3		13	7						3	
Erie County	85	10			13	19	9		3		3	28	
Monroe County	31	8			4	15	4						
New York (city)	794	444	12		191	126	2	8	3		1	7	
Niagara County	17				8	6	2					1	
Oneida County	26	7			15	4							
Orange County	6					5					1		
Rensselaer County	48	5			30	5						8	
Schenectady County	9	2			1	5	1						
Suffolk County	9	4				2	3						
Syracuse (city)	42	21				1	9					11	
Westchester County	61	21	8		7	10	11		1		2	1	
Ohio:													
Franklin County	331	50	4	3	187	45	2	5	19		12	4	
Hamilton County	605	24	3	12	208	15	4	32	165		122	20	
Lucas County	230	41	1	3	100	25	7	1	28	4	19	1	
Mahoning County	142	17		1	92	9	6	3	5	1	8		
Montgomery County	132	22		1	40	8	1	2	11		12	35	
Oregon: Multnomah County	137	5	4	49	40	8	1	1	24		3	2	
Pennsylvania:													
Allegheny County	106	45		2	7	51	1						
Berks County	7	2				3	2						
Montgomery County	6	3		1		2							
Philadelphia (city and county)	617	161			236	90	53		5	1	67	4	
South Carolina: Greenville County	36	6			20	4		1	1			4	
Utah: Third district	137	49	10	1	66	5			3		3		
Virginia: Norfolk (city)	108	37	6		42	7	4		2	2	3	5	
Washington:													
Pierce County	44	5	3		5	12		1			9	9	
Spokane County	91	1	2		23	13	1	5	14	2	21	9	
Wisconsin: Milwaukee County	477	163	6	5	222	22	3	3	14		17	22	
AREAS WITH LESS THAN 100,000 POPULATION	1,933	661	37	26	554	313	34	9	48	49	120	82	
50,000, less than 100,000	948	345	21	14	287	133	15	2	29	17	33	52	
Less than 50,000	985	316	16	12	267	180	19	7	19	32	87	30	

DEPENDENCY AND NEGLECT CASES, 1935

TABLE IX.—*Color, nativity, and parent nativity of children dealt with in dependency and neglect cases disposed of by the courts in 1 State, 41 courts that served specified areas with 100,000 or more population, and 18 courts that served areas with less than 100,000 population in 1935* [1]

Areas served by court	Dependency and neglect cases							
	Total	White children						Colored children
		Total	Native, native parentage	Native, foreign or mixed parentage	Native, parentage not reported	Foreign-born	Nativity not reported	
Total cases [2]	19,412	16,791	10,733	4,461	1,090	174	333	2,621
State total: Utah [2]	232	224	185	22	14	2	1	8
AREAS WITH 100,000 OR MORE POPULATION	18,514	15,934	10,002	4,357	1,073	173	329	2,580
Alabama: Mobile County	55	38	38					17
California:								
Los Angeles County	1,006	941	380	124	224	5	208	65
San Diego County	471	434	353	72	4	3	2	37
San Francisco (city and county)	728	630	290	260	45	15	20	98
Connecticut:								
Bridgeport (city)	144	137	62	60	15			7
Hartford (city)	178	151	73	77	1			27
District of Columbia	256	143	127	8	7		1	113
Florida: Dade County	198	188	175	12		1		10
Georgia: Fulton County	497	403	399	4				94
Indiana:								
Lake County	205	158	104	44	8	2		47
Marion County	182	162	161			1		20
Iowa: Polk County	350	320	308	12				30
Louisiana:								
Caddo Parish	111	100	100					11
Orleans Parish	284	209	123	4	6		76	75
Maryland: Baltimore (city)	164	134	64	26	44			30
Michigan:								
Kent County	126	119	70	11	36		2	7
Wayne County	503	429	208	204	11	6		74
Minnesota:								
Hennepin County	335	323	194	67	60	2		12
Ramsey County	176	171	152	19				5
New York:								
Erie County	147	143	87	55		1		4
Monroe County	158	158	74	80	2	2		
New York (city)	3,978	3,332	1,437	1,676	107	112		646
Rensselaer County	88	86	74	8	4			2
Syracuse (city)	103	99	50	46	3			4
Westchester County	383	338	163	137	25	3	10	45
Ohio:								
Franklin County	464	349	318	12	18	1		115
Hamilton County	305	237	210	14	9		4	68
Lucas County	1,302	1,171	1,041	127	1	2		131
Mahoning County	84	65	40	23	2			19
Montgomery County	332	278	274	4				54
Oregon: Multnomah County	672	667	543	57	62	5		5
Pennsylvania:								
Allegheny County	649	533	299	202	28	4		116
Berks County	7	7	7					
Montgomery County	91	70	52	18				21
Philadelphia (city and county)	2,194	1,719	952	655	109	3		475
South Carolina: Greenville County	86	73	73					13
Utah: Third district	136	128	99	12	14	2	1	8
Virginia: Norfolk (city)	99	71	65	1	2	3		28
Washington:								
Pierce County	183	169	154	7	6		2	14
Spokane County	191	188	146	42				3
Wisconsin: Milwaukee County	893	863	463	177	220		3	30
AREAS WITH LESS THAN 100,000 POPULATION	898	857	731	104	17	1	4	41
50,000, less than 100,000	567	549	480	48	16	1	4	18
Less than 50,000	331	308	251	56	1			23

[1] Population according to the 1930 census.

[2] All figures for the State for which a total is given are also shown by courts for areas with 100,000 or more population and included in the group total for areas with less than 100,000 population.

TABLE X.—*Reason for reference to court of children in families represented in dependency and neglect cases disposed of by the courts in 1 State, 41 courts that served specified areas with 100,000 or more population, and 18 courts that served areas with less than 100,000 population in 1935* [1]

Area served by court	Families represented in dependency and neglect cases						
	Total	Reason for reference of child to court					
		Without adequate care or support from parent or guardian	Abandonment or desertion	Abuse or cruel treatment	Living under conditions injurious to morals	Physically handicapped and in need of public care	Other reason
Total cases [2]	10,518	7,639	322	414	1,149	989	5
State total: Utah [2]	119	71	11	15	14	8	----
AREAS WITH 100,000 OR MORE POPULATION	10,038	7,285	307	394	1,100	947	5
Alabama: Mobile County	36	2	2	----	32	----	----
California:							
San Diego County	293	155	13	27	88	10	----
San Francisco (city and county)	385	304	2	7	71	1	----
Connecticut:							
Bridgeport (city)	94	87	1	1	4	1	----
Hartford (city)	101	100	----	----	1	----	----
District of Columbia	171	147	12	2	9	1	----
Florida: Dade County	119	91	2	4	18	4	----
Georgia: Fulton County	266	221	7	9	24	5	----
Indiana:							
Lake County	119	92	4	6	13	4	----
Marion County	91	72	4	1	12	2	----
Iowa: Polk County	230	149	3	----	----	78	----
Louisiana:							
Caddo Parish	80	49	12	5	7	7	----
Orleans Parish	180	155	12	----	13	----	----
Maryland: Baltimore (city)	102	70	18	7	7	----	----
Michigan:							
Kent County	67	54	3	2	6	2	----
Wayne County	273	229	24	3	17	----	----
Minnesota:							
Hennepin County	177	172	1	1	2	1	----
Ramsey County	88	85	----	2	1	----	----
New York:							
Erie County	120	12	----	5	5	98	----
Monroe County	69	68	----	----	1	----	----
New York (city)	2,315	1,681	6	56	238	334	----
Rensselaer County	57	26	3	----	5	23	----
Syracuse (city)	69	24	2	1	8	34	----
Westchester County	271	116	11	3	15	126	----
Ohio:							
Franklin County	267	166	1	4	32	63	1
Hamilton County	193	115	8	46	18	6	----
Lucas County	706	513	25	61	87	20	----
Mahoning County	59	37	1	1	1	19	----
Montgomery County	204	123	8	19	31	23	----
Oregon: Multnomah County	370	326	7	8	27	2	----
Pennsylvania:							
Allegheny County	353	305	10	7	17	13	1
Berks County	6	5	----	1	----	----	----
Montgomery County	39	38	----	----	1	----	----
Philadelphia (city and county)	1,147	809	67	65	150	53	3
South Carolina: Greenville County	54	39	4	6	5	----	----
Utah: Third district	77	50	6	7	7	7	----
Virginia: Norfolk (city)	62	29	4	1	28	----	----
Washington:							
Pierce County	141	108	5	13	10	5	----
Spokane County	114	77	1	5	28	3	----
Wisconsin: Milwaukee County	473	384	18	8	61	2	----
AREAS WITH LESS THAN 100,000 POPULATION	480	354	15	20	49	42	----
50,000, less than 100,000	304	217	12	15	37	23	----
Less than 50,000	176	137	3	5	12	19	----

[1] Population according to the 1930 census.
[2] All figures for the State for which a total is given are also shown by courts for areas with 100,000 or more population and included in the group total for areas with less than 100,000 population.

TABLE XI.—*Place of care of child pending hearing or disposition in dependency and neglect cases disposed of by the courts in 1 State, 41 courts that served specified areas with 100,000 or more population, and 18 courts that served areas with less than 100,000 population in 1935* [1]

Area served by court	Dependency and neglect cases						
	Total	No detention care	Detention care overnight or longer in specified place				No report as to detention care
			Boarding home or other family home	Detention home [2]	Other institution	Other place of care [3]	
Total cases [4]	19,412	13,617	514	1,593	2,934	80	674
State total: Utah [4]	232	176	3	9	41	3	----
AREAS WITH 100,000 OR MORE POPULATION	18,514	12,887	478	1,518	2,881	77	673
Alabama: Mobile County	55	40	----	14	1	----	----
California:							
Los Angeles County	1,006	75	6	438	----	57	430
San Diego County	471	325	62	29	49	6	----
San Francisco (city and county)	728	683	----	45	----	----	----
Connecticut:							
Bridgeport (city)	144	125	1	4	14	----	----
Hartford (city)	178	84	4	40	50	----	----
District of Columbia	256	227	----	28	1	----	----
Florida: Dade County	198	175	6	----	6	11	----
Georgia: Fulton County	497	407	12	74	4	----	----
Indiana:							
Lake County	205	153	11	20	21	----	----
Marion County	182	181	----	1	----	----	----
Iowa: Polk County	350	230	32	80	8	----	----
Louisiana:							
Caddo Parish	111	40	27	18	26	----	----
Orleans Parish	284	223	5	37	19	----	----
Maryland: Baltimore (city)	164	154	5	----	5	----	----
Michigan:							
Kent County	126	112	2	11	1	----	----
Wayne County	503	494	1	8	----	----	----
Minnesota:							
Hennepin County	335	237	68	----	30	----	----
Ramsey County	176	176	----	----	----	----	----
New York:							
Erie County	147	128	14	----	5	----	----
Monroe County	158	100	5	----	53	----	----
New York (city)	3,978	1,878	4	----	2,095	1	----
Rensselaer County	88	67	----	----	21	----	----
Syracuse (city)	103	70	2	30	1	----	----
Westchester County	383	317	56	----	10	----	----
Ohio:							
Franklin County	464	356	11	85	12	----	----
Hamilton County	305	289	2	13	1	----	----
Lucas County	1,302	1,227	21	46	8	----	----
Mahoning County	84	71	2	8	3	----	----
Montgomery County	332	259	9	63	1	----	----
Oregon: Multnomah County	672	579	56	13	23	----	1
Pennsylvania:							
Allegheny County	649	303	17	71	16	----	242
Berks County	7	6	1	----	----	----	----
Montgomery County	91	73	----	18	----	----	----
Philadelphia (city and county)	2,194	1,846	----	4	344	----	----
South Carolina: Greenville County	86	78	5	----	3	----	----
Utah: Third district	136	93	----	9	34	----	----
Virginia: Norfolk (city)	99	78	19	1	1	----	----
Washington:							
Pierce County	183	141	10	23	9	----	----
Spokane County	191	132	2	53	4	----	----
Wisconsin: Milwaukee County	893	655	----	234	2	2	----
AREAS WITH LESS THAN 100,000 POPULATION	898	730	36	75	53	3	1
50,000, less than 100,000	567	451	23	65	24	3	1
Less than 50,000	331	279	13	10	29	----	----

[1] Population according to the 1930 census.

[2] Includes cases of children cared for part of the time in detention homes and part of the time elsewhere, but excludes cases of children also held in jails or police stations.

[3] Includes 17 children cared for in jail or police station (1 in New York City, 1 in Milwaukee County, Wis., and 15 in Los Angeles County, Calif.) and 63 children cared for in other places.

[4] All figures for the State for which a total is given are also shown by courts for areas with 100,000 or more population and included in the group total for areas with less than 100,000 population.

TABLE XII.—*Disposition of dependency and neglect cases disposed of by the courts in 4 States, 50 courts that served specified areas with 100,000 or more population, and 127 courts that served areas with less than 100,000 population in 1935* [1]

Area served by court	Dependency and neglect cases												
		Child kept under supervision of court			Child not kept under supervision of court								
						Committed to—			Referred without commitment to—				
	Total	Probation officer supervising	Agency or individual supervising	Under temporary care of an institution	Case dismissed or adjusted	Institution	Agency	Individual	Institution	Agency or individual	Other disposition of case	Case held open without further action	Disposition not reported
Total cases [2]	24,019	4,003	2,175	1,177	6,191	2,266	2,632	636	1,402	952	1,103	1,481	1
State totals: [2]													
Connecticut	1,311	66	19	1	205	363	396	21	11	119	40	70	
Indiana	387	83	70	104	74	4		6	7	31	5	3	
New York	8,746	1,386	308	1	2,262	990	726	210	1,306	172	786	599	
Utah	232	43	21	46	53	6	17		5	20	6	15	
AREAS WITH 100,000 OR MORE POPULATION	20,090	3,757	1,964	1,006	5,492	1,968	2,179	458	964	885	554	862	1
Alabama: Mobile County	55	4	10	13	6		10	12					
California:													
Los Angeles County	1,006	564		77	281	66	17				1		
San Diego County	471	120	1	21	261				1	7	7	53	
San Francisco (city and county)	728	146	446	59	61			1			14	1	
Connecticut:													
Fairfield County	356	32	2		64	67	66	1	7	105	4	8	
Hartford (city)	178				35	52	74	15		2			
New Haven (city)	160	1	6		29	62	60				2		
District of Columbia	256		200	1	6		37					12	
Florida: Dade County	198	11	12	143	7	2		18	2	3			
Georgia: Fulton County	497	46	11		41	2	70	52	5	58	2	210	
Indiana:													
Lake County	205	18	23	36	74	2		6	7	31	5	3	
Marion County	182	65	47	68		2							
Iowa: Polk County	350	76		25	134	108			1	4	2		
Louisiana:													
Caddo Parish	111		39	8	3	15		11	1	32	2		
Orleans Parish	284	13	2		28	27	1	1	4	32	55	121	
Maryland: Baltimore (city)	164	6			8	56	77		1	16			
Michigan:													
Kent County	126	38	7	8	52	6		1		1	2	11	
Wayne County	503	41	350		37	2					1	72	
Minnesota:													
Hennepin County	335		219		31	10	56				1	18	
Ramsey County	176	1	110		4	2	55	4					
New York:													
Albany County	320				180	38	5	41	39		17		
Broome County	287				11	5	95	12	96		51	17	
Chautauqua County	52		32		2		5	1	8		4		
Erie County	147				6		36		75		21	9	
Monroe County	158	4			40	26	88						
New York (city)	3,978	1,223	84		1,394	751	9		336	160	19	2	
Niagara County	92				5		19		62			6	
Oneida County	185				27		44		101		13		
Orange County	137	25	10		18		11		43		30		
Rensselaer County	88				11	44			10	2	18	3	
Schenectady (city)	114				4	8	22	21	14		44	1	
Suffolk County	17				10		7						
Syracuse (city)	103	5			9	14	24	7	26	2	10	6	
Westchester County	383	19	21		26	10	151		68	8	57	23	

[1] Population according to the 1930 census.

[2] All figures for the States for which totals are given are also shown by courts for areas with 100,000 or more population and included in the group total for areas with less than 100,000 population.

TABLE XII.—*Disposition of dependency and neglect cases disposed of by the courts in 4 States, 50 courts that served specified areas with 100,000 or more population, and 127 courts that served areas with less than 100,000 population in 1935*—Con.

Area served by court	Dependency and neglect cases												
		Child kept under supervision of court			Child not kept under supervision of court								
						Committed to—			Referred without commitment to—				
	Total	Probation officer supervising	Agency or individual supervising	Under temporary care of an institution	Case dismissed or adjusted	Institution	Agency	Individual	Institution	Agency or individual	Other disposition of case	Case held open without further action	Disposition not reported
AREAS WITH 100,000 OR MORE POPULATION—Continued.													
Ohio:													
Franklin County	464	----	7	3	246	97	60	17	3	28	3	----	----
Hamilton County	305	4	----	1	57	7	186	2	7	15	22	4	----
Lucas County	1,302	137	16	19	837	64	29	46	6	65	51	32	----
Mahoning County	84	2	4	36	10	2	16	6	----	8	----	----	----
Montgomery County	332	----	1	1	62	53	47	29	11	73	6	49	----
Oregon: Multnomah County	672	107	99	37	139	16	24	7	2	112	44	84	1
Pennsylvania:													
Allegheny County	649	513	7	36	59	13	14	----	1	3	2	1	----
Berks County	7	----	----	1	----	1	5	----	----	----	----	----	----
Montgomery County	91	89	----	2	----	----	----	----	----	----	----	----	----
Philadelphia (city and county)	2,194	304	----	----	819	309	653	99	----	----	----	10	----
South Carolina: Greenville County	86	9	----	5	17	1	----	3	5	3	----	43	----
Utah: Third district	136	22	11	44	45	3	1	----	1	9	----	----	----
Virginia: Norfolk (city)	99	18	18	2	19	----	5	11	2	16	1	7	----
Washington:													
Pierce County	183	4	66	10	29	3	24	----	1	22	8	16	----
Spokane County	191	2	----	----	42	13	2	29	16	46	24	17	----
Wisconsin: Milwaukee County	893	88	103	350	206	9	74	5	2	22	11	23	----
AREAS WITH LESS THAN 100,000 POPULATION	3,929	246	211	171	699	298	453	178	438	67	549	619	----
50,000, less than 100,000	1,591	183	82	156	265	100	119	63	196	35	133	259	----
Less than 50,000	2,338	63	129	15	434	198	334	115	242	32	416	360	----

CASES OF CHILDREN DISCHARGED FROM SUPERVISION, 1935

TABLE XIII.—*Reason for discharge in cases of delinquent children discharged from supervision by the courts in 5 States, 52 courts that served specified areas with 100,000 or more population, and 164 courts that served areas with less than 100,000 population in 1935* [1]

Area served by court	Cases of delinquent children discharged from supervision								
		Reason for discharge							
	Total	Conduct of child satisfactory or conditions improved	Expiration of period specified by court	Conduct of child or conditions unsatisfactory but further supervision not advised	Child committed or referred to institution	Child committed or referred to agency or individual	Whereabouts of child unknown, or child moved from jurisdiction of court	Other reason	Reason not reported
Total cases [2]	17,030	11,170	1,100	359	2,250	298	611	1,067	175
State totals: [2]									
Connecticut	1,254	778	188	22	61	18	19	164	4
Indiana	1,297	962	8	73	149	8	67	30	----
Michigan	2,145	1,239	246	48	242	16	33	161	160
New York	3,408	2,605	8	96	549	50	30	70	----
Utah	705	392	120	16	54	3	33	87	----
AREAS WITH 100,000 OR MORE POPULATION	13,889	9,227	794	241	1,999	257	500	815	56
Alabama: Mobile County	37	17	-------	1	17	2	------	------	----
California:									
Los Angeles County	2,523	1,705	-------	-------	359	81	183	195	----
San Diego County	113	48	-------	10	20	------	16	19	----
San Francisco (city and county)	519	430	-------	5	26	1	45	12	----
Colorado: Denver (city and county)	15	-------	-------	-------	15	------	------	------	----
Connecticut:									
Fairfield County	327	182	17	7	13	10	2	92	4
Hartford (city)	162	134	-------	1	12	3	6	6	----
New Haven (city)	124	11	81	-------	18	1	5	8	----
District of Columbia	601	223	65	4	100	27	30	152	----
Florida: Dade County	199	150	9	-------	16	9	8	7	----
Indiana:									
Allen County	178	116	-------	26	22	------	7	7	----
Lake County	83	64	7	2	5	1	2	2	----
Marion County	143	112	-------	-------	21	------	9	1	----
St. Joseph County	86	69	-------	-------	6	------	11	------	----
Vanderburgh County	52	33	1	2	8	1	3	4	----
Iowa: Polk County	111	69	-------	2	33	------	5	2	----
Louisiana: Orleans Parish	181	148	15	6	11	------	------	1	----
Maryland: Baltimore (city)	181	81	-------	2	80	4	9	5	----
Michigan:									
Genesee County	159	1	130	-------	19	2	------	7	----
Ingham County	34	-------	21	-------	1	------	------	12	----
Kent County	189	61	10	29	22	4	12	51	----
Oakland County	18	10	-------	1	3	------	1	3	----
Saginaw County	90	31	-------	2	6	------	------	10	41
Wayne County	1,040	873	-------	-------	158	------	1	8	----
Minnesota:									
Hennepin County	708	563	47	7	67	------	15	9	----
Ramsey County	367	329	-------	-------	32	1	------	5	----
New Jersey:									
Hudson County	198	41	122	3	6	5	3	18	----
Mercer County	131	92	-------	23	14	------	------	2	----

[1] Population according to the 1930 census.

[2] All figures for the States for which totals are given are also shown by courts for areas with 100,000 or more population and included in the group total for areas with less than 100,000 population.

TABLE XIII.—*Reason for discharge in cases of delinquent children discharged from supervision by the courts in 5 States, 52 courts that served specified areas with 100,000 or more population, and 164 courts that served areas with less than 100,000 population in 1935*—Continued

Area served by court	Cases of delinquent children discharged from supervision								
		Reason for discharge							
	Total	Conduct of child satisfactory or conditions improved	Expiration of period specified by court	Conduct of child or conditions unsatisfactory but further supervision not advised	Child committed or referred to institution	Child committed or referred to agency or individual	Whereabouts of child unknown, or child moved from jurisdiction of court	Other reason	Reason not reported
AREAS WITH 100,000 OR MORE POPULATION—Continued.									
New York:									
Albany County	80	67	----	----	9	----	2	2	----
Broome County	94	68	----	----	20	----	2	4	----
Erie County	208	169	----	2	24	10	----	3	----
Monroe County	103	90	----	----	11	1	----	1	----
New York (city)	1,879	1,438	8	44	336	10	15	28	----
Niagara County	48	29	----	10	6	1	----	2	----
Oneida County	80	68	----	1	11	----	----	----	----
Orange County	8	4	----	----	2	----	----	2	----
Rensselaer County	43	34	----	----	6	----	----	3	----
Schenectady County	42	30	----	1	9	1	1	----	----
Suffolk County	41	36	----	----	4	1	----	----	----
Syracuse (city)	120	86	----	6	20	7	----	1	----
Westchester County	268	202	----	5	28	18	5	10	----
Ohio:									
Hamilton County	166	79	6	10	24	12	25	10	----
Lucas County	38	14	1	2	12	1	3	5	----
Montgomery County	49	10	6	1	26	1	2	3	----
Oregon: Multnomah County	216	148	2	13	14	7	18	3	11
Pennsylvania:									
Berks County	20	19	----	----	----	----	----	1	----
Philadelphia (city and county)	617	126	237	2	164	21	10	57	----
South Carolina: Greenville County	67	31	----	7	15	4	7	3	----
Utah: Third district	234	140	5	1	33	1	20	34	----
Virginia: Norfolk (city)	176	128	4	1	22	5	16	----	----
Wisconsin: Milwaukee County	723	618	----	2	93	4	1	5	----
AREAS WITH LESS THAN 100,000 POPULATION	3,141	1,943	306	118	251	41	111	252	119
50,000, less than 100,000	1,573	910	151	58	147	24	72	157	54
Less than 50,000	1,568	1,033	155	60	104	17	39	95	65

TABLE XIV.—*Reason for discharge in cases of dependent and neglected children discharged from supervision by the courts in 3 States, 27 courts that served specified areas with 100,000 or more population, and 14 courts that served areas with less than 100,000 population in 1935* [1]

Area served by court	Cases of dependent and neglected children discharged from supervision									
		Reason for discharge								
	Total	Conduct of child satisfactory or conditions improved	Expiration of period specified by court	Conduct of child or conditions unsatisfactory but further supervision not advised	Child committed or referred to institution	Child committed or referred to agency or individual	Whereabouts of child unknown or child moved from jurisdiction of court	Other reason	Reason not reported
Total cases: [2]	3,583	1,963	91	84	368	381	487	193	16
State totals: [2]									
Indiana	43	8	----	----	1	----	----	34	----
New York	783	615	26	15	72	15	17	23	----
Utah	22	5	----	----	----	----	8	9	----
AREAS WITH 100,000 OR MORE POPULATION	3,375	1,890	73	68	354	349	470	156	15
Alabama: Mobile County	2	----	----	----	----	2	----	----	----
California:									
Los Angeles County	843	317	----	----	124	17	355	15	15
San Diego County	91	56	----	16	2	----	13	4	----
San Francisco (city and county)	69	49	----	10	----	2	3	5	----
District of Columbia	169	22	35	----	4	75	14	19	----
Florida: Dade County	138	109	----	----	11	17	----	1	----
Indiana: Lake County	43	8	----	----	1	----	----	34	----
Iowa: Polk County	120	75	----	----	19	2	21	3	----
Louisiana: Orleans Parish	15	10	3	1	----	----	1	----	----
Maryland: Baltimore (city)	48	15	----	6	6	6	11	4	----
Michigan: Wayne County	178	149	----	----	15	9	1	4	----
Minnesota:									
Hennepin County	217	130	----	5	26	47	----	9	----
Ramsey County	65	38	----	----	3	24	----	----	----
New York:									
Monroe County	7	1	----	----	5	1	----	----	----
New York (city)	696	560	25	12	62	7	14	16	----
Orange County	2	1	----	1	----	----	----	----	----
Schenectady County	1	1	----	----	----	----	----	----	----
Syracuse (city)	6	6	----	----	----	----	----	----	----
Westchester County	14	5	----	----	1	6	2	----	----
Ohio:									
Lucas County	37	18	----	2	----	----	9	8	----
Montgomery County	3	1	----	----	1	----	----	1	----
Oregon: Multnomah County	37	15	----	5	----	6	6	5	----
Pennsylvania:									
Berks County	1	1	----	----	----	----	----	----	----
Philadelphia (city and county)	221	101	10	6	29	66	10	9	----
South Carolina: Greenville County	24	10	----	4	5	2	3	----	----
Utah: Third district	11	2	----	----	----	----	4	5	----
Wisconsin: Milwaukee County	307	190	----	----	40	60	3	14	----
AREAS WITH LESS THAN 100,000 POPULATION	208	73	18	16	14	32	17	37	1
50,000, less than 100,000	183	55	16	15	13	29	17	37	1
Less than 50,000	25	18	2	1	1	3	----	----	----

[1] Population according to the 1930 census.

[2] All figures for the States for which totals are given are also shown by courts for areas with 100,000 or more population and included in the group total for areas with less than 100,000 population.

TABLE XV.—*Length of time child was under supervision in cases of delinquent children discharged from supervision by the courts in 5 States, 52 courts that served specified areas with 100,000 or more population, and 164 courts that served areas with less than 100,000 population in 1935* [1]

Area served by court	Cases of delinquent children							
		Duration of supervision						
	Total	Less than 6 months	6 months, less than 12	1 year, less than 18 months	18 months, less than 2 years	2 years, less than 3	3 years or more	Not reported
Total cases [2]	17,030	5,491	5,097	3,495	1,212	967	583	185
State totals: [2]								
Connecticut	1,254	593	445	160	36	14	5	1
Indiana	1,297	379	397	213	109	147	52	-------
Michigan	2,145	382	724	520	129	116	90	184
New York	3,468	1,077	1,258	622	209	154	88	-------
Utah	705	292	245	106	28	15	19	-------
AREAS WITH 100,000 OR MORE POPULATION	13,889	4,368	4,129	2,947	1,063	853	476	53
Alabama: Mobile County	37	11	11	7	4	3	1	-------
California:								
Los Angeles County	2,523	845	302	750	251	226	149	-------
San Diego County	113	24	19	18	24	16	12	-------
San Francisco (city and county)	519	244	163	64	21	20	7	-------
Colorado: Denver (city and county)	15	8	2	2	-------	2	1	-------
Connecticut:								
Fairfield County	327	132	99	58	24	10	3	1
Hartford (city)	162	37	78	31	10	4	2	-------
New Haven (city)	124	14	77	33	-------	-------	-------	-------
District of Columbia	601	130	236	123	56	32	24	-------
Florida: Dade County	199	164	30	3	2	-------	-------	-------
Indiana:								
Allen County	178	14	19	20	16	89	20	-------
Lake County	83	31	41	10	-------	1	-------	-------
Marion County	143	92	42	6	2	1	-------	-------
St. Joseph County	86	2	7	19	23	24	11	-------
Vanderburgh County	52	40	12	-------	-------	-------	-------	-------
Iowa: Polk County	111	32	36	20	9	9	5	-------
Louisiana: Orleans Parish	181	37	140	2	1	-------	1	-------
Maryland: Baltimore (city)	181	56	51	31	18	19	6	-------
Michigan:								
Genesee County	159	6	16	86	-------	-------	-------	51
Ingham County	34	-------	-------	32	1	-------	-------	1
Kent County	189	70	55	36	12	13	3	-------
Oakland County	18	11	7	-------	-------	-------	-------	-------
Saginaw County	90	1	85	2	2	-------	-------	-------
Wayne County	1,040	179	392	228	96	79	66	-------
Minnesota:								
Hennepin County	708	296	342	40	14	5	11	-------
Ramsey County	367	63	98	112	42	35	17	-------
New Jersey:								
Hudson County	198	6	12	117	28	26	9	-------
Mercer County	131	7	9	112	3	-------	-------	-------
New York:								
Albany County	80	25	47	8	-------	-------	-------	-------
Broome County	94	13	26	29	10	7	9	-------
Erie County	208	16	27	93	35	33	4	-------
Monroe County	103	16	36	23	17	7	4	-------
New York (city)	1,879	840	855	129	39	16	-------	-------
Niagara County	48	3	3	18	8	5	11	-------
Oneida County	80	6	10	59	3	2	-------	-------
Orange County	8	3	-------	1	4	-------	-------	-------
Rensselaer County	43	10	8	25	-------	-------	-------	-------
Schenectady County	42	7	9	8	4	11	3	-------
Suffolk County	41	4	1	36	-------	-------	-------	-------
Syracuse (city)	120	13	42	35	14	13	3	-------
Westchester County	268	35	80	70	41	25	17	-------

[1] Population according to the 1930 census.

[2] All figures for the States for which totals are given are also shown by courts for areas with 100,000 or more population and included in the group total for areas with less than 100,000 population.

TABLE XV.—*Length of time child was under supervision in cases of delinquent children discharged from supervision by the courts in 5 States, 52 courts that served specified areas with 100,000 or more population, and 164 courts that served areas with less than 100,000 population in 1935*—Continued

Area served by court	Cases of delinquent children							
		Duration of supervision						
	Total	Less than 6 months	6 months, less than 12	1 year, less than 18 months	18 months, less than 2 years	2 years, less than 3	3 years or more	Not reported
AREAS WITH 100,000 OR MORE POPULATION—Continued.								
Ohio:								
Hamilton County	166	54	50	31	15	10	6	-------
Lucas County	38	28	6	2	1	1	-------	-------
Montgomery County	49	15	10	6	6	5	7	-------
Oregon: Multnomah County	216	146	36	19	9	3	3	-------
Pennsylvania:								
Berks County	20	3	5	10	-------	-------	2	-------
Philadelphia (city and county)	617	359	188	43	10	6	11	-------
South Carolina: Greenville County	67	26	23	10	7	-------	1	-------
Utah: Third district	234	79	87	22	19	8	19	-------
Virginia: Norfolk (city)	176	13	27	73	35	23	5	-------
Wisconsin: Milwaukee County	723	102	172	235	127	64	23	-------
AREAS WITH LESS THAN 100,000 POPULATION	3,141	1,123	968	548	149	114	107	132
50,000, less than 100,000	1,573	505	555	257	72	72	76	36
Less than 50,000	1,568	618	413	291	77	42	31	96

TABLE XVI.—*Length of time child was under supervision in cases of dependent and neglected children discharged from supervision by the courts in 3 States, 14 courts that served specified areas with 100,000 or more population, and 27 courts that served areas with less than 100,000 population in 1935* [1]

Area served by court	Cases of dependent and neglected children discharged from supervision						
		Duration of supervision					
	Total	Less than 6 months	6 months, less than 12	1 year, less than 18 months	18 months, less than 2 years	2 years, less than 3	3 years or more
Total cases [2]	3,583	1,481	675	346	273	321	487
State totals: [2]							
Indiana	43	26	7	5	2	1	2
New York	783	417	269	52	17	15	13
Utah	22	8	4	1	3	4	2
AREAS WITH 100,000 OR MORE POPULATION	3,375	1,429	645	320	254	306	421
Alabama: Mobile County	2	2					
California:							
Los Angeles County	843	459	97	67	47	46	127
San Diego County	91	17	10	11	19	5	29
San Francisco (city and county)	69	17	19	5	9	11	8
District of Columbia	169	18	47	15	26	31	32
Florida: Dade County	138	106	18	10	1	3	
Indiana: Lake County	43	26	7	5	2	1	2
Iowa: Polk County	120	8	10	5	27	41	29
Louisiana: Orleans Parish	15	4	10	1			
Maryland: Baltimore (city)	48	8	6	8	11	4	11
Michigan: Wayne County	178	34	27	8	16	27	66
Minnesota:							
Hennepin County	217	51	41	53	15	29	28
Ramsey County	65	8	14	11	9	18	5
New York:							
Monroe County	7	4				1	2
New York (city)	696	384	254	41	11	6	
Orange County	2					2	
Schenectady County	1					1	
Syracuse (city)	6	5	1				
Westchester County	14	5	2	3		2	2
Ohio:							
Lucas County	37	34	3				
Montgomery County	3	2				1	
Oregon: Multnomah County	37	13	1	10	8	2	3
Pennsylvania:							
Berks County	1						1
Philadelphia (city and county)	231	98	42	28	13	12	38
South Carolina: Greenville County	24	4	6	2	3	7	2
Utah: Third district	11	5	1			3	2
Wisconsin: Milwaukee County	307	117	29	37	37	53	34
AREAS WITH LESS THAN 100,000 POPULATION	208	52	30	26	19	15	66
50,000, less than 100,000	183	45	26	18	17	14	63
Less than 50,000	25	7	4	8	2	1	3

[1] Population according to the 1930 census.

[2] All figures for the States for which totals are given are also shown by courts for areas with 100,000 or more population and included in the group total for areas with less than 100,000 population.

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TABLE Ia.—*Number of boys' and girls' delinquency, dependency and neglect, and special-proceedings cases disposed of, and number of cases of children discharged from supervision by courts in 7 States, by 78 courts that served specified areas with 100,000 or more population, and by 306 courts that served areas with less than 100,000 population in 1936* [1]

Area served by court	Delinquency cases			Dependency and neglect cases			Special-proceedings cases			Cases of children discharged from supervision		
	Total	Boys	Girls	Total	Boys	Girls	Total	Boys	Girls	Total	Boys	Girls
Total cases [2]	63,320	53,485	9,835	23,599	12,041	11,558	1,317	548	769	[3] 20,808	15,777	5,031
State totals: [2]												
Connecticut	3,868	3,428	440	1,493	777	716	2	-----	2	747	677	70
Indiana	3,793	2,709	1,084	369	196	173	2	1	1	1,376	994	382
Massachusetts	5,065	4,624	441	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----
Michigan	5,227	4,469	758	855	444	411	1	-----	1	2,377	1,996	381
New York	9,580	8,187	1,393	8,344	4,243	4,101	518	210	308	4,212	3,502	710
Rhode Island	653	591	62	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----
Utah	1,964	1,655	309	222	105	117	6	5	1	724	608	116
AREAS WITH 100,000 OR MORE POPULATION	52,561	44,545	8,016	19,581	10,055	9,526	1,205	518	687	17,322	13,032	4,290
Alabama: Mobile County (Mobile)	136	112	24	16	9	7	-----	-----	-----	23	20	3
California:												
Los Angeles County (Los Angeles)	2,452	1,892	560	1,184	653	531	-----	-----	-----	3,962	2,806	1,156
San Diego County (San Diego)	1,547	1,288	259	558	272	286	79	41	38	164	103	61
San Francisco (city and county)	589	434	155	727	366	361	19	10	9	517	316	201
Connecticut:												
Fairfield County (Bridgeport)	1,213	1,092	121	549	291	258	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----
Hartford (city)	553	489	64	136	74	62	2	-----	2	125	97	28
New Haven (city)	202	166	36	157	83	74	-----	-----	-----	85	81	4
District of Columbia (Washington)	1,474	1,282	192	257	151	106	-----	-----	-----	872	699	173
Florida: Dade County (Miami)	605	489	116	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----
Georgia: Fulton County (Atlanta)	1,216	1,015	201	385	173	212	27	8	19	-----	-----	-----
Indiana: [4]												
Allen County (Fort Wayne)	134	53	81	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----
Lake County (Gary)	288	215	73	52	25	27	1	1	-----	19	17	2
Marion County (Indianapolis)	1,035	755	280	317	171	146	1	-----	1	218	175	43
St. Joseph County (South Bend)	383	301	82	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----
Vanderburgh County (Evansville)	319	222	97	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	52	41	11
Iowa: Polk County (Des Moines)	330	298	32	296	150	146	-----	-----	-----	134	93	41
Louisiana:												
Caddo Parish (Shreveport)	296	235	61	163	81	82	17	8	9	11	2	9
Orleans Parish (New Orleans)	1,009	903	106	288	152	136	1	1	-----	198	187	11
Maryland: Baltimore (city)	2,626	2,346	280	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----

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[2] All figures for the States for which totals are given are also shown by courts for areas with 100,000 or more population and included in the group total for areas with less than 100,000 population.

[3] Includes 16,715 delinquency cases, 4,069 dependency and neglect cases, and 24 other cases.

[4] Massachusetts, Indiana (except 2 courts reporting individually), Michigan (except 3 courts reporting individually), and Rhode Island reported only delinquency cases.

TABLE IA.—*Number of boys' and girls' delinquency, dependency and neglect, and special-proceedings cases disposed of, and number of cases of children discharged from supervision by courts in 7 States, by 78 courts that served specified areas with 100,000 or more population, and by 306 courts that served areas with less than 100,000 population in 1936*—Continued

Area served by court	Delinquency cases			Dependency and neglect cases			Special-proceedings cases			Cases of children discharged from supervision		
	Total	Boys	Girls	Total	Boys	Girls	Total	Boys	Girls	Total	Boys	Girls
AREAS WITH 100,000 OR MORE POPULATION—Continued.												
Massachusetts: [4]												
Boston:												
Boston (central section)	519	444	75	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----
Brighton	38	37	1	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----
Charlestown	93	89	4	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----
Dorchester	138	129	9	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----
East Boston	222	212	10	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----
Roxbury	345	319	26	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----
South Boston	144	136	8	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----
West Roxbury	138	129	9	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----
Second district of Bristol (Fall River)	179	167	12	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----
Third district of Bristol (New Bedford)	193	181	12	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----
Lawrence district (Lawrence)	76	71	5	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----
Southern Essex district (Lynn)	114	105	9	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----
Springfield district (Springfield)	255	229	26	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----
First district of Eastern Middlesex (Medford)	151	140	11	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----
Third district of Eastern Middlesex (Cambridge)	245	221	24	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----
Lowell district (Lowell)	139	121	18	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----
Somerville district (Somerville)	84	75	9	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----
East Norfolk district (Quincy)	126	110	16	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----
Central district of Worcester (Worcester)	300	261	39	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----
Michigan: [4]												
Genesee County (Flint)	429	315	114	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	147	114	33
Ingham County (Lansing)	53	51	2	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	59	52	7
Kent County (Grand Rapids)	476	411	65	208	96	112	-----	-----	-----	186	154	32
Oakland County (Pontiac)	253	230	23	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	77	69	8
Saginaw County (Saginaw)	219	185	34	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	95	81	14
Wayne County (Detroit)	2,167	1,990	177	560	307	253	1	-----	1	1,112	949	163
Minnesota: Hennepin County (Minneapolis)	1,048	878	170	319	167	152	-----	-----	-----	832	590	242
New Jersey: Hudson County (Jersey City)	464	388	76	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	117	117	-----
New York:												
Albany County (Albany)	502	385	117	345	185	160	17	7	10	91	81	10
Broome County (Binghamton)	149	129	20	259	128	131	2	-----	2	68	65	3
Chautauqua County (Jamestown)	151	141	10	69	40	29	7	1	6	1	1	-----
Dutchess County (Poughkeepsie)	74	60	14	367	194	173	5	-----	5	35	31	4
Erie County (Buffalo)	798	726	72	114	56	58	31	8	23	128	123	5
Monroe County (Rochester)	161	143	18	148	66	82	-----	-----	-----	80	73	7
New York (city)	5,127	4,433	694	3,035	1,568	1,467	296	144	152	2,702	2,181	521
Niagara County (Niagara Falls)	114	98	16	50	31	19	3	-----	3	32	32	-----
Oneida County (Utica)	268	227	41	169	93	76	13	4	9	121	117	4
Orange County (Newburgh)	26	24	2	182	97	85	2	1	1	31	23	8
Rensselaer County (Troy)	221	174	47	102	56	46	-----	-----	-----	45	40	5
Schenectady County (Schenectady)	123	108	15	112	52	60	-----	-----	-----	45	43	2
Suffolk County (Patchogue)	84	76	8	140	65	75	-----	-----	-----	34	31	3
Syracuse (city)	235	187	48	117	56	61	2	-----	2	118	107	11

[4] Massachusetts, Indiana (except 2 courts reporting individually), Michigan (except 3 courts reporting individually), and Rhode Island reported only delinquency cases.

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Area served by court	Delinquency cases			Dependency and neglect cases			Special-proceedings cases			Cases of children discharged from supervision		
	Total	Boys	Girls	Total	Boys	Girls	Total	Boys	Girls	Total	Boys	Girls
AREAS WITH 100,000 OR MORE POPULATION—Continued.												
New York—Continued.												
Westchester County (Yonkers)	337	289	48	408	205	203	72	36	36	230	189	41
Ohio:												
Franklin County (Columbus)	1,379	1,144	235	408	200	208	-----	-----	-----	-------	------	-----
Hamilton County (Cincinnati)	2,531	2,006	525	459	207	252	3	2	1	219	193	26
Lucas County (Toledo)	1,074	824	250	1,017	502	515	36	16	20	179	106	73
Mahoning County (Youngstown)	449	395	54	73	39	34	5	3	2	-------	------	-----
Montgomery County (Dayton)	833	642	191	333	174	159	1	-----	1	168	136	32
Oregon: Multnomah County (Portland)	1,068	875	193	658	318	340	4	3	1	426	337	89
Pennsylvania:												
Allegheny County (Pittsburgh)	900	773	127	711	383	328	41	24	17	-------	------	-----
Berks County (Reading)	94	76	18	14	9	5	7	4	3	13	10	3
Montgomery County (Norristown)	92	79	13	65	31	34	-----	-----	-----	-------	------	-----
Philadelphia (city and county)	4,688	4,157	531	2,467	1,286	1,181	393	133	260	1,070	770	300
Rhode Island: Sixth district (Providence)[4]	245	227	18	------	------	------	-----	-----	-----	-------	------	-----
South Carolina: Greenville County (Greenville)	149	120	29	87	34	53	18	11	7	125	110	15
Utah: Third district (Salt Lake City)	846	715	131	65	35	30	3	2	1	366	302	64
Virginia: Norfolk (city)	636	540	96	138	65	73	4	2	2	177	157	20
Washington:												
Pierce County (Tacoma)	198	140	58	152	57	95	17	12	5	-------	------	-----
Spokane County (Spokane)	632	519	113	188	93	95	15	8	7	-------	------	-----
Wisconsin: Milwaukee County (Milwaukee)	3,362	2,902	460	957	509	448	60	28	32	1,813	1,011	802
AREAS WITH LESS THAN 100,000 POPULATION	10,759	8,940	1,819	4,018	1,986	2,032	112	30	82	3,436	2,745	741
50,000, less than 100,000	4,555	3,844	711	1,693	837	856	70	24	46	1,337	1,065	272
Less than 50,000	4,570	3,933	637	2,325	1,149	1,176	42	6	36	1,062	919	143
Population group not reported[5]	1,634	1,163	471	------	------	------	-----	-----	-----	1,087	761	326

[4] Massachusetts, Indiana (except 2 courts reporting individually), Michigan (except 3 courts reporting individually), and Rhode Island reported only delinquency cases.

[5] Areas in Indiana with less than 100,000 population but population group not specified.

TABLE IB.—*Number of delinquency, dependency and neglect, and special-proceedings cases disposed of, and number of cases of children discharged from supervision by 306 courts that served areas with less than 100,000 population in 1936* [1]

Area served by court	Delinquency cases	Dependency and neglect cases	Special-proceedings cases	Cases of children discharged from supervision
Total	10,759	4,018	112	3,486
Connecticut:				
Ansonia (city)	2	17		
Berlin (town)		6		
Bozrah (town)	1			
Branford (town)	4			1
Bristol (city)	69	60		68
Clinton (town)	1	1		
Columbia (town) [2]	1			
Derby (city)	34	14		11
East Hartford (town)	99	7		15
East Haven (town)	33			4
East Windsor (town) [2]	1	5		
Ellington (town)	1			
Enfield (town)	69	13		1
Glastonbury (town)	6	16		2
Granby (town)		1		
Griswold (town)		4		
Groton (town) [2]	1	4		
Guilford (town) [2]	3	1		
Hamden (town)	5	6		
Killingsworth (town)		1		
Lebanon (town)		1		
Madison (town)		7		
Manchester (town)	6	16		1
Meriden (city)	78	22		56
Middlefield (town) [2]		6		
Middletown (city)	40	20		
Milford (town)	8	11		7
Montville (town)	1	12		
Naugatuck (town) [2]		4		
Naugatuck (borough)	13	17		4
New Britain (city)	288	50		42
New London (city)	135	48		42
Niantic (borough)	1			
Norfolk (town)		6		
North Stonington (town)		1		
Norwich (city)	63	34		49
Plainville (town)	12	2		9
Plymouth (town)	1	2		
Portland (town)	2			
Rockville (city)	1	6		1
Rocky Hill (town)	10			10
Saybrook (town)	1			
Seymour (town)	1	11		
Sharon (town)		5		
Southington (town)	37	11		
South Windsor (town)		1		
Stafford Springs (borough)	3	2		
Stonington (town)	23	4		
Suffield (town)	3			
Thomaston (town)		5		
Torrington (city)	43	12		5
Voluntown (town)	1	2		
Wallingford (borough)	45	4		30
Wallingford (town) [2]		3		
Washington (town)	2	5		
Waterbury (city)	333	57		127
Waterford (town)	1	4		
Watertown (town)		1		
Wethersfield (town)	6	1		1
Westbrook (town)		5		
West Hartford (town)	207	3		10
West Haven (town)	49	19		8
Willington (town) [2]		1		
Winchester (town)	15	6		12
Windham (county)	139	59		21
Windsor (town)	1			
Windsor Locks (town)	1	5		
Woodbury (town)		4		

[1] Population according to the 1930 census.

[2] Cases are for the area specified although the probate court serving this area and dealing with dependency and neglect cases has jurisdiction over a wider territory.

TABLE IB.—*Number of delinquency, dependency and neglect, and special-proceedings cases disposed of, and number of cases of children discharged from supervision by 306 courts that served areas with less than 100,000 population in 1936*—Con.

Area served by court	Delinquency cases	Dependency and neglect cases	Special-proceedings cases	Cases of children discharged from supervision
Illinois: Rock Island County	8	40		59
Indiana: 55 courts (not reported separately)	1,634			1,087
Iowa: Johnson County	61	58		13
Massachusetts: 54 courts (not reported separately)	1,566			
Michigan:				
Alcona County	6			
Alger County	16			
Allegan County	16			4
Alpena County	13			2
Antrim County	15			1
Arenac County	12			
Baraga County	20			11
Barry County	7			
Bay County	34			36
Benzie County	8			3
Berrien County	103			13
Branch County	7			2
Calhoun County	48			34
Cass County	19			3
Charlevoix County	6			7
Cheboygan County	8			3
Chippewa County	18			9
Clare County	9			9
Clinton County	4			4
Crawford County	13			6
Delta County	25			18
Dickinson County	10			7
Eaton County	9			1
Emmett County	3			
Gladwin County	10			1
Gogebic County	23			29
Grand Traverse County	44			7
Gratiot County	28			
Hillsdale County	21			2
Houghton County	4			1
Huron County	21			1
Ionia County	14			9
Iosco County	1			
Iron County	19			11
Isabella County	18			3
Jackson County	144			100
Kalamazoo County	18			10
Kalkaska County	4			1
Lapeer County	10			6
Leelanau County	2			3
Lenawee County	32			20
Livingston County	1			
Luce County	10			5
Mackinac County	1			
Macomb County	36			82
Manistee County	11			10
Marquette County	37			6
Mecosta County	6			21
Midland County	44			
Missaukee County	4			1
Monroe County	46			14
Montcalm County	5			14
Montmorency County	4			
Muskegon County	224	87		39
Newaygo County	10			2
Oceana County	19			3
Ogemaw County	11			7
Ontonagon County	8			
Osceola County	9			1
Otsego County	5			2
Ottawa County	16			11
Presque Isle County	8			3
Roscommon County	7			
St. Clair County	87			51
St. Joseph County	18			5
Sanilac County	21			2
Schoolcraft County	4			7

TABLE 1B.—*Number of delinquency, dependency and neglect, and special-proceedings cases disposed of, and number of cases of children discharged from supervision by 306 courts that served areas with less than 100,000 population in 1936*—Con.

Area served by court	Delinquency cases	Dependency and neglect cases	Special-proceedings cases	Cases of children discharged from supervision
Michigan—Continued.				
Shiawassee County	47			10
Van Buren County	34			7
Washtenaw County	40			6
Wexford County	15			15
New York:				
Allegany County	19	86		16
Cayuga County	21	101	2	1
Chemung County	97	62		53
Chenango County	30	66	2	
Clinton County	12	44	7	5
Columbia County	49	159		78
Cortland County	15	48		3
Delaware County	14	81	2	
Essex County	34	183	2	
Franklin County	25	87	4	4
Fulton County	21	23	1	11
Greene County	8	14		
Hamilton County		18	1	
Herkimer County	91	203	4	25
Jefferson County	133	86	2	41
Lewis County	11	26		10
Madison County	18	104	1	9
Ontario County	84	64		25
Orleans County	4	15		
Oswego County	80	82	6	42
Otsego County	36	110	1	8
Rockland County	31	66		27
St. Lawrence County	66	244	7	25
Saratoga County	10	102	5	3
Schoharie County	8	36	5	
Schuyler County	10	38	1	7
Seneca County	13	16		11
Sullivan County	12	10		25
Tioga County	25	62		6
Tompkins County	35	203	2	
Ulster County	43	66	4	5
Warren County	127	133	5	9
Washington County	20	59	4	2
Wayne County	6	15		
Yates County	2	15		
North Carolina: Buncombe County	167	104	37	159
Ohio:				
Allen County	516	46		25
Lake County	92	53	4	5
Rhode Island:				
First district	48			
Second district	8			
Third district	1			
Fourth district	54			
Fifth district	26			
Seventh district	17			
Eighth district	100			
Ninth district	6			
Tenth district	84			
Eleventh district	29			
Twelfth district	35			
Utah:				
First district	170	3		24
Second district	354	110		141
Fourth district	215	20	3	50
Fifth district	108			61
Sixth district	142	12		51
Seventh district	81	5		12
Eighth district	48	7		19
Virginia: Danville (city)	362	51		22
Wisconsin: Kenosha County	87	44		69

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Area served by court	Age under which juvenile court has original jurisdiction	Boys' delinquency cases								
		Total	Age of boy when referred to court							
			Under 10 years	10 years, under 12	12 years, under 14	14 years, under 16	16 years	17 years	18 years and over	Age not reported
Total cases [2]	------	53,485	2,789	6,484	12,276	21,928	6,267	3,071	268	402
State totals: [2]										
Connecticut	16	3,428	354	587	1,016	1,301	63	14	9	84
Indiana	16	2,709	200	389	722	1,247	123	27	1	------
Massachusetts	17	4,624	186	437	962	1,873	1,166	------	------	------
Michigan	17	4,469	114	472	1,021	1,959	820	12	1	70
New York	16	8,187	416	972	2,115	4,489	123	11	4	57
Rhode Island	[3] 16	591	10	74	162	272	------	------	------	73
Utah	18	1,655	59	128	258	492	376	331	11	------
AREAS WITH 100,000 OR MORE POPULATION	------	44,545	2,202	5,379	10,158	18,441	5,212	2,759	251	143
Alabama: Mobile County	16	112	8	15	23	49	7	4	1	5
California:										
Los Angeles County	21	1,892	31	102	249	605	400	387	88	30
San Diego County	21	1,288	45	75	151	363	275	341	38	------
San Francisco (city and county)	21	434	9	23	64	136	94	93	15	------
Connecticut:										
Fairfield County	16	1,092	81	190	339	412	49	12	9	------
Hartford (city)	16	489	63	98	149	163	14	2	------	------
New Haven (city)	16	166	7	16	34	101	------	------	------	8
District of Columbia	17	1,282	63	156	328	466	266	2	------	1
Florida: Dade County	17	489	21	63	110	190	98	6	1	------
Georgia: Fulton County	16	1,015	57	158	344	429	26	------	1	------
Indiana:										
Allen County	16	53	4	7	13	28	1	------	------	------
Lake County	16	215	15	38	58	104	------	------	------	------
Marion County	16	755	43	101	228	373	8	1	1	------
St. Joseph County	16	301	52	51	79	115	4	------	------	------
Vanderburgh County	16	222	10	37	59	111	5	------	------	------
Iowa: Polk County	18	298	17	47	49	89	57	32	4	3
Louisiana:										
Caddo Parish	17	235	11	31	53	93	44	3	------	------
Orleans Parish	17	903	47	117	228	318	163	22	7	1
Maryland: Baltimore (city)	16	2,346	218	408	666	844	147	53	10	------
Massachusetts:										
Boston:										
Boston (central section)	17	444	30	33	75	204	102	------	------	------
Brighton	17	37	1	2	4	16	14	------	------	------
Charlestown	17	89	1	5	19	47	17	------	------	------
Dorchester	17	129	5	19	27	48	30	------	------	------
East Boston	17	212	24	52	41	69	26	------	------	------
Roxbury	17	319	8	12	73	150	76	------	------	------
South Boston	17	136	4	7	33	57	35	------	------	------
West Roxbury	17	129	10	15	26	52	26	------	------	------
Second district of Bristol	17	167	3	27	43	56	38	------	------	------
Third district of Bristol	17	181	6	20	43	78	34	------	------	------
Lawrence district	17	71	1	5	18	27	20	------	------	------
Southern Essex district	17	105	5	12	27	41	20	------	------	------
Springfield district	17	229	2	17	55	95	60	------	------	------
First district of eastern Middlesex	17	140	7	9	31	55	38	------	------	------
Third district of eastern Middlesex	17	221	18	26	37	71	69	------	------	------
Lowell district	17	121	3	10	24	53	31	------	------	------

[1] Population according to the 1930 census.

[2] All figures for the States for which totals are given are also shown by courts for areas with 100,000 or more population and included in the group total for areas with less than 100,000 population.

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Area served by court	Age under which juvenile court has original jurisdiction	Boys' delinquency cases								
		Age of boy when referred to court								
		Total	Under 10 years	10 years, under 12	12 years, under 14	14 years, under 16	16 years	17 years	18 years and over	Age not reported
AREAS WITH 100,000 OR MORE POPULATION—Continued.										
Massachusetts—Continued.										
Somerville district	17	75	2	5	19	31	18	------	------	------
East Norfolk district	17	110	1	5	24	51	29	------	------	------
Central district of Worcester	17	261	5	19	56	125	56	------	------	------
Michigan:										
Genesee County	17	315	6	24	58	137	87	------	------	3
Ingham County	17	51	------	1	9	24	16	------	------	1
Kent County	17	411	25	69	76	156	83	2	------	------
Oakland County	17	230	------	1	55	134	40	------	------	------
Saginaw County	17	185	4	15	37	80	49	------	------	------
Wayne County	17	1,990	18	235	500	885	341	10	1	------
Minnesota: Hennepin County	18	878	15	51	138	309	183	182	------	------
New Jersey: Hudson County	16	388	26	60	104	194	4	----	------	------
New York:										
Albany County	16	385	25	50	78	207	------	------	------	25
Broome County	16	129	12	23	28	65	------	------	------	1
Chautauqua County	16	141	18	24	30	60	------	------	------	9
Dutchess County	16	60	5	6	21	27	------	------	------	1
Erie County	16	726	27	84	200	402	11	2	------	------
Monroe County	16	143	2	17	44	80	------	------	------	------
New York (city)	16	4,433	184	463	1,133	2,594	51	5	2	1
Niagara County	16	98	9	12	31	46	------	------	------	------
Oneida County	16	227	7	20	60	135	------	------	------	5
Orange County	16	24	1	3	4	16	------	------	------	------
Rensselaer County	16	174	7	16	39	76	36	------	------	------
Schenectady County	16	108	3	25	22	57	------	------	------	1
Suffolk County	16	76	2	9	29	35	------	------	------	1
Syracuse (city)	16	187	12	24	44	107	------	------	------	------
Westchester County	16	289	15	32	69	145	22	3	2	1
Ohio:										
Franklin County	18	1,144	46	146	236	422	155	135	4	------
Hamilton County	18	2,006	87	279	405	594	321	305	14	1
Lucas County	18	824	48	94	162	289	135	88	7	1
Mahoning County	18	395	1	39	66	158	84	47	------	------
Montgomery County	18	642	39	67	135	232	102	60	5	2
Oregon: Multnomah County	18	875	28	87	148	320	165	114	7	6
Pennsylvania:										
Allegheny County	16	773	43	126	201	360	27	12	4	------
Berks County	16	76	------	9	12	51	3	1	------	------
Montgomery County	16	79	1	10	29	39	------	------	------	------
Philadelphia (city and county)	16	4,157	251	662	1,094	2,122	7	2	------	19
Rhode Island: Sixth district	[3] 16	227	1	40	64	105	------	------	------	17
South Carolina: Greenville County	16	120	16	15	44	41	3	1	------	------
Utah: Third district	18	715	26	59	98	192	178	158	4	------
Virginia: Norfolk (city)	18	540	21	66	89	173	113	76	2	------
Washington:										
Pierce County	18	140	9	11	20	54	32	13	1	------
Spokane County	18	519	24	37	96	167	96	98	1	------
Visconsin: Milwaukee County	18	2,902	200	335	551	836	471	487	22	------
AREAS WITH LESS THAN 100,000 POPULATION	--------	8,940	587	1,105	2,118	3,487	1,055	312	17	259
50,000, less than 100,000	--------	3,844	231	492	923	1,502	474	131	9	82
Less than 50,000	--------	3,933	280	458	910	1,469	476	155	8	177
Population group not reported [4]	--------	1,163	76	155	285	516	105	26	------	------

[3] Courts have jurisdiction over juvenile delinquents under 16 years of age and over wayward children under 18 years of age.

[4] Areas in Indiana with less than 100,000 population but population group not specified.

TABLE IIB.—*Age under which juvenile court has original jurisdiction and age when referred to court of girls dealt with in delinquency cases disposed of by the courts in 7 States, 78 courts that served specified areas with 100,000 or more population, and 249 courts that served areas with less than 100,000 population in 1936* [1]

Area served by court	Age under which juvenile court has original jurisdiction	Girls' delinquency cases								
		Total	Age of girl when referred to court							
			Under 10 years	10 years, under 12	12 years, under 14	14 years, under 16	16 years	17 years	18 years and over	Age not reported
Total cases [2]	-------	9,835	276	529	1,687	4,694	1,593	840	83	133
State totals: [2]										
Connecticut	16	440	32	41	91	220	9	1	1	45
Indiana	18	1,084	21	56	160	511	212	120	4	-------
Massachusetts	17	441	8	20	74	227	112	------	------	-------
Michigan	17	758	11	34	117	381	184	5	4	22
New York	16	1,393	50	99	287	883	45	3	------	26
Rhode Island	[3] 16	62	------	3	12	14	------	------	------	33
Utah	18	309	10	19	30	117	87	45	1	-------
AREAS WITH 100,000 OR MORE POPULATION	-------	8,016	203	412	1,362	3,853	1,326	745	79	36
Alabama: Mobile County	16	24	------	5	10	8	1	------	------	-------
California:										
Los Angeles County	21	560	2	11	48	208	155	125	10	1
San Diego County	21	259	14	15	28	99	40	51	12	-------
San Francisco (city and county)	21	155	------	3	8	56	40	31	17	-------
Connecticut:										
Fairfield County	16	121	2	14	26	70	7	1	1	-------
Hartford (city)	16	64	7	4	18	33	2	------	------	-------
New Haven (city)	16	36	------	------	1	32	------	------	------	3
District of Columbia	17	192	6	6	43	93	43	1	------	-------
Florida: Dade County	17	116	2	5	19	59	27	4	------	-------
Georgia: Fulton County	16	201	2	15	64	112	7	------	1	-------
Indiana:										
Allen County	18	81	2	4	12	34	17	12	------	-------
Lake County	18	73	------	2	7	38	17	9	------	-------
Marion County	18	280	8	11	42	113	72	32	2	-------
St. Joseph County	18	82	------	5	5	43	13	16	------	-------
Vanderburgh County	18	97	------	3	11	57	16	8	2	-------
Iowa: Polk County	18	32	------	------	8	14	3	7	------	-------
Louisiana:										
Caddo Parish	17	61	1	4	10	31	15	------	------	-------
Orleans Parish	17	106	1	14	21	45	19	6	------	-------
Maryland: Baltimore (city)	16	280	8	25	86	127	26	8	------	-------
Massachusetts:										
Boston:										
Boston (central section)	17	75	------	6	12	36	21	------	------	-------
Brighton	17	1	------	------	------	------	1	------	------	-------
Charlestown	17	4	------	------	------	3	1	------	------	-------
Dorchester	17	9	------	------	------	6	3	------	------	-------
East Boston	17	10	1	------	1	5	3	------	------	-------
Roxbury	17	26	------	------	4	18	4	------	------	-------
South Boston	17	8	------	------	3	4	1	------	------	-------
West Roxbury	17	9	------	------	------	7	2	------	------	-------
Second district of Bristol	17	12	------	2	4	5	1	------	------	-------
Third district of Bristol	17	12	------	------	1	8	3	------	------	-------
Lawrence district	17	5	1	------	1	1	2	------	------	-------
Southern Essex district	17	9	------	1	1	6	1	------	------	-------
Springfield district	17	26	------	3	8	9	6	------	------	-------
First district of eastern Middlesex	17	11	------	------	2	3	6	------	------	-------
Third district of eastern Middlesex	17	24	------	------	1	13	10	------	------	-------
Lowell district	17	18	1	------	3	11	3	------	------	-------
Somerville district	17	9	------	------	3	5	1	------	------	-------
Eastern Norfolk district	17	16	1	2	4	8	1	------	------	-------
Central district of Worcester	17	39	3	1	5	20	10	------	------	-------

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Area served by court	Age under which juvenile court has original jurisdiction	Girls' delinquency cases								
			Age of girl when referred to court							
		Total	Under 10 years	10 years, under 12	12 years, under 14	14 years, under 16	16 years	17 years	18 years and over	Age not reported
AREAS WITH 100,000 OR MORE POPULATION—Continued.										
Michigan:										
Genesee County	17	114	1	4	21	56	29	------	------	3
Ingham County	17	2	------	------	1	1	------	------	------	------
Kent County	17	65	3	9	13	19	13	4	4	------
Oakland County	17	23	------	------	------	17	6	------	------	------
Saginaw County	17	34	------	2	3	12	15	------	------	2
Wayne County	17	177	------	5	18	100	53	1	------	------
Minnesota: Hennepin County	18	170	------	2	16	64	40	46	2	------
New Jersey: Hudson County	16	76	4	2	12	57	1	------	------	------
New York:										
Albany County	16	117	8	5	23	70	------	------	------	11
Broome County	16	20	1	1	7	10	------	------	------	1
Chautauqua County	16	10	------	1	1	7	------	------	------	1
Dutchess County	16	14	------	2	3	7	------	------	------	2
Erie County	16	72	3	3	17	45	2	2	------	------
Monroe County	16	18	------	1	------	17	------	------	------	------
New York (city)	16	694	16	57	154	451	15	1	------	------
Niagara County	16	16	------	2	5	9	------	------	------	------
Oneida County	16	41	------	2	3	36	------	------	------	------
Orange County	16	2	------	------	------	2	------	------	------	------
Rensselaer County	16	47	2	1	3	26	15	------	------	------
Schenectady County	16	15	2	3	3	7	------	------	------	------
Suffolk County	16	8	1	------	3	4	------	------	------	------
Syracuse (city)	16	48	------	5	13	30	------	------	------	------
Westchester County	16	48	------	1	5	32	10	------	------	------
Ohio:										
Franklin County	18	235	3	9	43	110	44	23	3	------
Hamilton County	18	525	4	13	79	199	123	104	3	------
Lucas County	18	250	12	5	40	118	41	31	3	------
Mahoning County	18	54	------	2	11	26	13	2	------	------
Montgomery County	18	191	8	7	28	81	45	21	1	------
Oregon: Multnomah County	18	193	15	12	27	72	38	28	1	------
Pennsylvania:										
Allegheny County	16	127	4	6	21	74	7	7	8	------
Berks County	16	18	------	2	6	9	1	------	------	------
Montgomery County	16	13	------	------	8	5	------	------	------	------
Philadelphia (city and county)	16	531	22	45	127	337	------	------	------	------
Rhode Island: Sixth district	[3] 16	18	------	------	1	5	------	------	------	12
South Carolina: Greenville County	16	29	1	5	8	15	------	------	------	------
Utah: Third district	18	131	7	4	12	51	38	19	------	------
Virginia: Norfolk (city)	18	96	2	3	18	35	23	15	------	------
Washington:										
Pierce County	18	58	2	3	9	26	14	4	------	------
Spokane County	18	113	2	6	18	48	24	13	2	------
Wisconsin: Milwaukee County	18	460	18	21	62	123	116	113	7	------
AREAS WITH LESS THAN 100,000 POPULATION	------	1,819	73	117	325	841	267	95	4	97
50,000, less than 100,000	------	711	33	46	138	312	99	23	3	57
Less than 50,000	------	637	29	40	104	303	91	29	1	40
Population group not reported [4]	------	471	11	31	83	226	77	43	------	------

[4] Areas in Indiana with less than 100,000 population but population group not specified.

TABLE IIIa.—*Color, nativity, and parent nativity of boys dealt with in delinquency cases disposed of by the courts in 1 State, 45 courts that served specified areas with 100,000 or more population, and 19 courts that served areas with less than 100,000 population in 1936* [1]

Area served by court	Boys' delinquency cases							
	Total	White boys						Colored boys
		Total	Native, native parentage	Native, foreign or mixed parentage	Native, parentage not reported	Foreign-born	Nativity not reported	
Total cases [2]	41,535	31,338	18,882	10,570	910	562	414	10,197
State total: Utah [2]	1,655	1,647	1,417	215	9	6	----	8
AREAS WITH 100,000 OR MORE POPULATION	39,177	29,243	17,006	10,369	896	558	414	9,934
Alabama: Mobile County	112	56	56	----	----	----	----	56
California:								
Los Angeles County	1,892	1,741	882	515	----	80	264	151
San Diego County	1,288	1,240	917	285	2	36	----	48
San Francisco (city and county)	434	414	213	131	54	12	4	20
Connecticut:								
Fairfield County	1,092	1,019	383	620	2	14	----	73
Hartford (city)	489	407	149	249	2	7	----	82
District of Columbia	1,282	362	339	19	2	2	----	920
Florida: Dade County	489	284	246	35	----	2	1	205
Georgia: Fulton County	1,015	398	396	2	----	----	----	617
Indiana:								
Allen County	53	50	45	5	----	----	----	3
Lake County	215	182	57	125	----	----	----	33
Marion County	755	470	454	16	----	----	----	285
St. Joseph County	301	293	225	66	----	2	----	8
Vanderburgh County	222	189	189	----	----	----	----	33
Iowa: Polk County	298	262	235	27	----	----	----	36
Louisiana:								
Caddo Parish	235	128	127	----	1	----	----	107
Orleans Parish	903	339	265	36	1	1	36	564
Maryland: Baltimore (city)	2,346	1,366	762	398	205	----	1	980
Michigan:								
Kent County	411	386	192	112	73	2	7	25
Oakland County	230	216	184	27	----	5	----	14
Wayne County	1,990	1,485	557	854	7	67	----	505
Minnesota: Hennepin County	878	861	636	213	4	8	----	17
New Jersey: Hudson County	388	372	136	227	----	9	----	16
New York:								
Erie County	726	667	231	409	----	27	----	59
Monroe County	143	134	69	56	2	7	----	9
New York (city)	4,433	3,318	1,108	2,026	19	164	1	1,115
Rensselaer County	174	167	130	35	1	1	----	7
Syracuse (city)	187	186	97	84	----	5	----	1
Westchester County	289	251	81	152	8	9	1	38
Ohio:								
Franklin County	1,144	766	676	83	2	5	----	378
Hamilton County	2,006	1,243	1,229	11	3	----	----	763
Lucas County	824	679	474	191	7	7	----	145
Mahoning County	395	311	61	201	12	2	35	84
Montgomery County	642	484	443	40	----	1	----	158
Oregon: Multnomah County	875	862	611	155	45	14	37	13
Pennsylvania:								
Allegheny County	773	628	230	379	3	11	5	145
Berks County	76	74	39	35	----	----	----	2
Montgomery County	79	54	27	27	----	----	----	25
Philadelphia (city and county)	4,157	2,581	1,263	1,256	16	26	20	1,576
South Carolina: Greenville County	120	53	53	----	----	----	----	67
Utah: Third district	715	712	561	144	3	4	----	3
Virginia: Norfolk (city)	540	250	237	13	----	----	----	290
Washington:								
Pierce County	140	138	137	1	----	----	----	2
Spokane County	519	507	416	89	----	2	----	12
Wisconsin: Milwaukee County	2,902	2,658	1,188	1,020	422	26	2	244
AREAS WITH LESS THAN 100,000 POPULATION	2,358	2,095	1,876	201	14	4	----	263
50,000, less than 100,000	1,409	1,283	1,135	142	3	3	----	126
Less than 50,000	949	812	741	59	11	1	----	137

[1] Population according to the 1930 census.

[2] All figures for the State for which a total is given are also shown by courts for areas with 100,000 or more population and included in the group total for areas with less than 100,000 population.

TABLE IIIB.—*Color, nativity, and parent nativity of girls dealt with in delinquency cases disposed of by the courts in 1 State, 45 courts that served specified areas with 100,000 or more population, and 19 courts that served areas with less than 100,000 population in 1936* [1]

Area served by court	Girls' delinquency cases							
	Total	White girls						Colored girls
		Total	Native, native parentage	Native, foreign or mixed parentage	Native, parentage not reported	Foreign-born	Nativity not reported	
Total cases [2]	7,765	5,930	4,055	1,433	217	124	101	1,835
State total: Utah [2]	309	302	259	35	4	4	----	7
AREAS WITH 100,000 OR MORE POPULATION	7,246	5,474	3,632	1,407	211	123	101	1,772
Alabama: Mobile County	24	10	10	----	----	----	----	14
California:								
Los Angeles County	560	503	298	108	----	20	77	57
San Diego County	259	244	195	41	----	8	----	15
San Francisco (city and county)	155	134	55	48	18	8	5	21
Connecticut:								
Fairfield County	121	104	41	61	----	1	1	17
Hartford (city)	64	54	25	28	----	1	----	10
District of Columbia	192	35	31	3	1	----	----	157
Florida: Dade County	116	93	88	5	----	----	----	23
Georgia: Fulton County	201	109	109	----	----	----	----	92
Indiana:								
Allen County	81	71	65	5	----	1	----	10
Lake County	73	53	26	26	----	1	----	20
Marion County	280	229	228	1	----	----	----	51
St. Joseph County	82	77	63	14	----	----	----	5
Vanderburgh County	97	70	70	----	----	----	----	27
Iowa: Polk County	32	27	25	2	----	----	----	5
Louisiana:								
Caddo Parish	61	42	42	----	----	----	----	19
Orleans Parish	106	30	16	2	1	1	10	76
Maryland: Baltimore (city)	280	124	73	31	20	----	----	156
Michigan:								
Kent County	65	58	31	9	14	1	3	7
Oakland County	23	22	21	1	----	----	----	1
Wayne County	177	132	52	75	2	3	----	45
Minnesota: Hennepin County	170	163	102	60	----	1	----	7
New Jersey: Hudson County	76	72	20	47	----	5	----	4
New York:								
Erie County	72	62	31	29	----	2	----	10
Monroe County	18	17	9	8	----	----	----	1
New York (city)	694	474	191	234	4	45	----	220
Rensselaer County	47	45	36	9	----	----	----	2
Syracuse (city)	48	45	23	21	----	1	----	3
Westchester County	48	35	8	23	1	3	----	13
Ohio:								
Franklin County	235	172	158	9	5	----	----	63
Hamilton County	525	394	379	13	----	2	----	131
Lucas County	250	214	148	61	1	4	----	36
Mahoning County	54	42	17	19	5	----	1	12
Montgomery County	191	139	136	3	----	----	----	52
Oregon: Multnomah County	193	190	155	21	13	1	----	3
Pennsylvania:								
Allegheny County	127	85	44	40	----	1	----	42
Berks County	18	18	10	8	----	----	----	----
Montgomery County	13	12	8	3	1	----	----	1
Philadelphia (city and county)	531	286	128	147	5	5	1	245
South Carolina: Greenville County	29	20	20	----	----	----	----	9
Utah: Third district	131	131	101	25	2	3	----	----
Virginia: Norfolk (city)	96	37	36	1	----	----	----	59
Washington:								
Pierce County	58	57	54	1	2	----	----	1
Spokane County	113	112	94	16	----	----	2	1
Wisconsin: Milwaukee County	460	431	160	149	116	5	1	29
AREAS WITH LESS THAN 100,000 POPULATION	519	456	423	26	6	1	----	63
50,000, less than 100,000	343	310	296	12	2	----	----	33
Less than 50,000	176	146	127	14	4	1	----	30

[1] Population according to the 1930 census.

[2] All figures for the State for which a total is given are also shown by courts for areas with 100,000 or more population and included in the group for areas with less than 100,000 population.

TABLE IV.—*Source of reference to court of delinquency cases disposed of by the courts in 1 State, 45 courts that served specified areas with 100,000 or more population, and 19 courts that served areas with less than 100,000 population in 1936* [1]

Area served by court	Delinquency cases									
		Source of reference to court								
	Total	Police	School department	Probation officer	Other court	Social agency	Parents or relatives	Other individual	Other source	Source not reported
Total cases [2]	49,300	32,012	3,267	1,446	872	891	4,300	6,254	249	9
State total: Utah [2]	1,964	1,102	346	248	12	8	101	117	29	1
AREAS WITH 100,000 OR MORE POPULATION	46,423	30,543	2,874	1,095	848	854	4,104	5,880	216	9
Alabama: Mobile County	136	28	14	10	13	7	24	40	------	------
California:										
Los Angeles County	2,452	1,845	118	19	55	10	123	225	56	1
San Diego County	1,547	655	41	54	584	12	82	116	3	------
San Francisco (city and county)	589	338	6	52	54	12	118	------	9	------
Connecticut:										
Fairfield County	1,213	821	153	22	29	11	50	125	2	------
Hartford (city)	553	477	53	9	------	2	11	1	------	------
District of Columbia	1,474	1,196	37	56	------	13	154	18	------	------
Florida: Dade County	605	352	58	17	1	11	57	109	------	------
Georgia: Fulton County	1,216	763	13	59	3	10	123	245	------	------
Indiana:										
Allen County	134	55	31	1	2	9	18	18	------	------
Lake County	288	132	71	6	3	12	43	18	3	------
Marion County	1,035	611	58	7	1	3	172	182	------	1
St. Joseph County	383	121	34	6	------	5	47	164	6	------
Vanderburgh County	319	200	46	1	1	3	38	30	------	------
Iowa: Polk County	330	145	14	5	------	5	29	132	------	------
Louisiana:										
Caddo Parish	296	149	19	33	1	------	31	61	2	------
Orleans Parish	1,009	591	42	2	1	18	162	181	12	------
Maryland: Baltimore (city)	2,626	2,418	3	12	2	72	94	25	------	------
Michigan:										
Kent County	476	367	21	19	------	10	34	25	------	------
Oakland County	253	167	47	10	------	9	8	12	------	------
Wayne County	2,167	1,604	133	96	1	57	203	62	10	1
Minnesota: Hennepin County	1,048	853	64	1	------	16	79	35	------	------
New Jersey: Hudson County	464	169	95	69	------	32	20	76	1	2
New York:										
Erie County	798	611	4	20	------	32	88	42	------	1
Monroe County	161	102	4	------	------	12	30	13	------	------
New York (city)	5,127	2,339	69	108	4	207	713	1,670	17	------
Rensselaer County	221	52	120	1	------	10	16	22	------	------
Syracuse (city)	235	170	17	6	------	2	23	17	------	------
Westchester County	337	161	75	1	------	24	35	40	1	------
Ohio:										
Franklin County	1,379	884	136	84	2	24	100	148	1	------
Hamilton County	2,531	2,011	109	11	40	39	163	156	2	------
Lucas County	1,074	654	103	3	4	6	174	119	11	------
Mahoning County	449	244	122	------	6	10	33	34	------	------
Montgomery County	833	505	116	14	16	9	91	81	1	------
Oregon: Multnomah County	1,068	687	101	5	5	27	100	140	3	------
Pennsylvania:										
Allegheny County	900	336	23	194	------	23	103	214	7	------
Berks County	94	67	5	1	2	4	7	7	1	------
Montgomery County	92	84	------	------	1	------	6	1	------	------
Philadelphia (city and county)	4,688	3,028	246	7	------	18	422	918	49	------
South Carolina: Greenville County	149	79	------	------	3	1	23	43	------	------
Utah: Third district	846	597	142	8	1	4	45	32	16	1
Virginia: Norfolk (city)	636	391	47	20	------	9	30	137	2	------
Washington:										
Pierce County	198	102	18	3	2	------	43	30	------	------
Spokane County	632	459	41	1	10	23	49	49	------	------
Wisconsin: Milwaukee County	3,362	2,923	205	42	1	31	90	67	1	2
AREAS WITH LESS THAN 100,000 POPULATION	2,877	1,469	393	351	24	37	196	374	33	------
50,000, less than 100,000	1,752	932	271	103	20	25	133	244	24	------
Less than 50,000	1,125	537	122	248	4	12	63	130	9	------

[1] Population according to the 1930 census.

[2] All figures for the State for which a total is given are also shown by courts for areas with 100,000 or more population and included in the group total for areas with less than 100,000 population.

TABLE VA.—*Reason for reference to court in boys' delinquency cases disposed of by the courts in 7 States, 78 courts that served specified areas with 100,000 or more population, and 280 courts that served areas with less than 100,000 population in 1936* [1]

Area served by court	Boys' delinquency cases												
		Reason for reference to court											
	Total	Stealing	Act of carelessness or mischief	Traffic violation	Truancy	Running away	Ungovernable	Sex offense	Injury to person	Use, possession, or sale of liquor or drugs	Other reason	Reason not reported
Total cases [2]	53,485	26,558	11,889	2,597	3,128	2,478	3,206	1,214	1,215	313	719	168
State totals: [2]												
Connecticut	3,428	1,368	1,429	15	191	107	139	82	48	2	47	----
Indiana	2,709	1,510	385	7	209	182	287	56	37	10	26	----
Massachusetts	4,624	2,597	854	426	274	78	121	78	127	41	28	----
Michigan	4,469	2,727	394	155	445	110	321	115	88	10	94	10
New York	8,187	4,169	1,909	41	466	308	597	174	216	10	170	127
Rhode Island	591	290	49	7	105	13	50	27	18	----	32	----
Utah	1,655	787	250	204	210	48	42	40	13	49	12	----
AREAS WITH 100,000 OR MORE POPULATION	44,545	22,097	10,024	2,266	2,444	2,096	2,734	983	1,004	219	519	159
Alabama: Mobile County	112	55	16	-----	11	1	23	-----	5	1	----	----
California:												
Los Angeles County	1,892	1,232	69	160	109	-----	77	153	4	30	28	30
San Diego County	1,288	422	147	421	16	91	45	28	8	28	82	----
San Francisco (city and county)	434	288	7	60	5	5	34	15	6	----	14	----
Connecticut:												
Fairfield County	1,092	386	473	13	66	68	61	15	9	----	1	----
Hartford (city)	489	177	218	1	27	16	23	17	10	----	----	----
New Haven (city)	166	118	19	-----	19	2	3	3	1	----	1	----
District of Columbia	1,282	789	249	55	34	1	97	11	42	----	4	----
Florida: Dade County	489	242	50	18	28	69	55	5	14	3	5	----
Georgia: Fulton County	1,015	594	219	-----	8	55	98	10	15	15	1	----
Indiana:												
Allen County	53	28	6	-----	11	5	2	-----	-----	1	----	----
Lake County	215	112	29	-----	30	18	19	3	3	1	----	----
Marion County	755	464	66	-----	38	47	109	15	9	----	7	----
St. Joseph County	301	107	116	1	6	14	44	7	6	----	----	----
Vanderburgh County	222	144	9	-----	17	26	15	5	5	1	----	----
Iowa: Polk County	298	142	95	17	1	6	30	1	3	3	----	----
Louisiana:												
Caddo Parish	235	110	47	24	5	13	11	4	20	----	1	----
Orleans Parish	903	514	159	10	-----	-----	150	9	58	----	3	----
Maryland: Baltimore (city)	2,346	903	1,196	-----	-----	32	138	21	44	1	11	----
Massachusetts:												
Boston:												
Boston (central section)	444	235	101	31	9	34	15	7	8	1	3	----
Brighton	37	22	1	5	-----	6	2	1	-----	----	----	----
Charlestown	89	50	26	3	-----	-----	1	1	6	2	----	----
Dorchester	129	63	29	16	4	-----	7	3	7	----	----	----
East Boston	212	108	84	6	5	1	3	1	4	----	----	----
Roxbury	319	197	27	28	36	1	8	4	16	1	1	----
South Boston	136	75	28	10	2	3	-----	5	11	2	----	----
West Roxbury	129	41	61	15	-----	-----	6	1	2	3	----	----
Second district of Bristol	167	114	29	5	10	-----	2	5	1	----	1	----
Third district of Bristol	181	144	18	5	1	1	3	3	4	1	1	----
Lawrence district	71	41	8	8	8	-----	-----	-----	3	2	1	----
Southern Essex district	105	55	25	11	10	-----	2	-----	2	----	----	----
Springfield district	229	138	28	34	9	-----	5	8	1	5	1	----
First district of eastern Middlesex	140	56	36	12	22	1	4	3	5	1	----	----
Third district of eastern Middlesex	221	122	42	26	2	2	13	3	10	----	1	----
Lowell district	121	88	16	8	5	-----	1	2	-----	1	----	----
Somerville district	75	37	25	7	1	1	2	-----	2	----	----	----

[1] Population according to the 1930 census.

[2] All figures for the States for which totals are given are also shown by courts for areas with 100,000 or more population and included in the group total for areas with less than 100,000 population.

TABLE VA.—*Reason for reference to court in boys' delinquency cases disposed of by the courts in 7 States, 78 courts that served specified areas with 100,000 or more population, and 280 courts that served areas with less than 100,000 population in 1936*—Continued

Area served by court	Boys delinquency cases											
	Reason for reference to court											
	Total	Stealing	Act of carelessness or mischief	Traffic violation	Truancy	Running away	Ungovernable	Sex offense	Injury to person	Use, possession, or sale of liquor or drugs	Other reason	Reason not reported
AREAS WITH 100,000 OR MORE POPULATION—Continued.												
Massachusetts—Continued.												
East Norfolk district	110	54	15	4	25	3	2	----	4	3	----	----
Central district of Worcester	261	119	56	37	21	10	8	5	2	3	----	----
Michigan:												
Genesee County	315	151	49	1	78	11	19	3	----	----	2	1
Ingham County	51	20	1	----	20	1	----	3	2	----	4	----
Kent County	411	225	58	44	12	5	22	20	20	4	1	----
Oakland County	230	125	27	4	42	2	21	7	2	----	----	----
Saginaw County	185	84	1	----	36	1	53	----	----	----	10	----
Wayne County	1,990	1,397	139	45	149	29	136	50	41	1	3	----
Minnesota: Hennepin County	878	424	100	213	42	11	36	26	14	8	4	----
New Jersey: Hudson County	388	166	42	----	92	5	63	2	11	----	7	----
New York:												
Albany County	385	152	30	2	119	29	26	3	5	----	19	----
Broome County	129	74	17	----	10	7	13	2	4	----	2	----
Chautauqua County	141	120	10	3	1	----	7	----	----	----	----	----
Dutchess County	60	42	6	1	4	1	3	2	----	----	1	----
Erie County	726	462	112	4	5	38	68	8	22	1	6	----
Monroe County	143	97	11	----	3	5	21	----	6	----	----	----
New York (city)	4,433	2,112	1,310	6	62	187	316	100	121	4	88	127
Niagara County	98	48	22	1	1	3	13	1	5	----	4	----
Oneida County	227	79	47	----	41	----	18	----	9	----	33	----
Orange County	24	16	----	----	2	----	----	3	1	----	2	----
Rensselaer County	174	67	14	----	76	5	9	----	3	----	----	----
Schenectady County	108	57	28	----	2	4	6	2	4	1	4	----
Suffolk County	76	53	7	1	5	----	4	4	2	----	----	----
Syracuse (city)	187	113	41	5	10	1	10	3	4	----	----	----
Westchester County	289	161	21	11	47	3	26	13	5	----	2	----
Ohio:												
Franklin County	1,144	696	201	6	103	44	30	39	9	7	9	----
Hamilton County	2,006	1,201	415	160	30	83	17	19	34	14	33	----
Lucas County	824	440	137	23	42	83	53	14	27	5	----	----
Mahoning County	395	206	42	20	44	6	18	1	8	----	----	----
Montgomery County	642	328	132	6	76	58	21	10	11	----	----	----
Oregon: Multnomah County	875	421	173	27	63	47	76	19	19	19	11	----
Pennsylvania:												
Allegheny County	773	453	106	1	11	48	80	30	41	----	3	----
Berks County	76	56	3	----	2	4	2	3	2	----	3	1
Montgomery County	79	67	2	----	----	1	1	5	3	----	----	----
Philadelphia (city and county)	4,157	1,302	1,602	28	181	524	220	91	126	7	76	----
Rhode Island: Sixth district	227	113	14	----	64	7	10	2	3	----	14	----
South Carolina: Greenville County	120	76	19	1	----	2	14	----	7	1	----	----
Utah: Third district	715	348	83	148	84	7	15	17	5	7	1	----
Virginia: Norfolk (city)	540	265	116	32	40	10	30	9	25	10	3	----
Washington:												
Pierce County	140	60	23	2	14	12	19	2	----	1	7	----
Spokane County	519	192	91	107	17	61	24	17	6	4	----	----
Wisconsin: Milwaukee County	2,902	1,042	927	329	147	219	96	79	47	16	----	----
AREAS WITH LESS THAN 100,000 POPULATION	8,940	4,461	1,865	331	684	382	472	231	211	94	200	9
50,000, less than 100,000	3,844	2,012	644	172	345	178	219	94	68	31	81	----
Less than 50,000	3,933	1,794	1,062	153	232	132	155	111	129	56	100	9
Population group not reported [3]	1,163	655	159	6	107	72	98	26	14	7	19	----

[3] Areas in Indiana with less than 100,000 population but population group not specified.

TABLE VB.—*Reason for reference to court in girls' delinquency cases disposed of by the courts in 7 States, 78 courts that served specified areas with 100,000 or more population, and 249 courts that served areas with less than 100,000 population in 1930* [1]

Area served by court	Girls' delinquency cases											
	Reason for reference to court											
	Total	Stealing	Act of carelessness or mischief	Traffic violation	Truancy	Running away	Ungovernable	Sex offense	Injury to person	Use, possession, or sale of liquor or drugs	Other reason	Reason not reported
Total cases [2]	9,835	1,103	721	107	1,169	1,461	2,641	2,106	175	91	107	154
State totals: [2]												
Connecticut	440	39	64	----	86	28	77	117	6	----	23	----
Indiana	1,084	90	41	3	139	216	308	252	16	18	1	----
Massachusetts	441	85	14	6	47	47	134	92	8	6	2	----
Michigan	758	57	50	4	148	92	256	124	2	1	16	8
New York	1,393	178	62	1	220	190	345	229	24	2	10	132
Rhode Island	62	3	----	----	5	4	6	44	----	----	----	----
Utah	309	37	18	7	94	52	48	38	2	11	2	----
AREAS WITH 100,000 OR MORE POPULATION	8,016	892	604	96	875	1,222	2,229	1,680	145	66	61	146
Alabama: Mobile County	24	5	3	----	4	2	9	----	1	----	----	----
California:												
Los Angeles County	560	37	2	16	13	----	9	464	1	4	----	14
San Diego County	259	20	12	37	9	34	84	41	1	11	10	----
San Francisco (city and county)	155	2	----	2	2	38	82	26	----	----	3	----
Connecticut:												
Fairfield County	121	11	20	----	30	8	24	24	4	----	----	----
Hartford (city)	64	7	7	----	19	1	9	19	1	----	1	----
New Haven (city)	36	4	1	----	14	----	9	8	----	----	----	----
District of Columbia	192	32	10	6	10	3	115	4	12	----	----	----
Florida: Dade County	116	7	10	1	15	33	35	10	4	----	1	----
Georgia: Fulton County	201	28	56	----	2	42	53	12	6	2	----	----
Indiana:												
Allen County	81	7	4	----	15	12	21	20	1	1	----	----
Lake County	73	5	5	----	7	24	14	16	2	----	----	----
Marion County	280	20	4	1	27	54	115	55	1	3	----	----
St. Joseph County	82	4	2	----	11	20	27	14	1	3	----	----
Vanderburgh County	97	6	2	----	9	31	15	32	1	1	----	----
Iowa: Polk County	32	7	----	----	----	----	25	----	----	----	----	----
Louisiana:												
Caddo Parish	61	5	3	2	1	23	11	12	4	----	----	----
Orleans Parish	106	29	3	----	----	----	59	5	8	----	2	----
Maryland: Baltimore (city)	280	49	69	----	----	8	119	29	3	----	3	----
Massachusetts:												
Boston:												
Boston (central section)	75	35	----	----	4	17	11	7	1	----	----	----
Brighton	1	----	----	----	----	----	----	1	----	----	----	----
Charlestown	4	1	1	----	1	----	1	----	----	----	----	----
Dorchester	9	----	----	----	3	----	6	----	----	----	----	----
East Boston	10	1	----	----	3	----	5	1	----	----	----	----
Roxbury	26	1	----	----	7	1	10	5	----	2	----	----
South Boston	8	----	----	----	2	3	2	1	----	----	----	----
West Roxbury	9	----	1	----	----	----	6	1	1	----	----	----
Second district of Bristol	12	4	----	----	----	----	1	7	----	----	----	----
Third district of Bristol	12	1	----	----	----	----	5	6	----	----	----	----
Lawrence district	5	3	----	----	----	----	----	2	----	----	----	----
Southern Essex district	9	1	----	----	2	3	3	----	----	----	----	----
Springfield district	26	----	----	1	----	----	6	15	2	1	1	----
First district of eastern Middlesex	11	2	1	2	2	----	3	----	1	----	----	----
Third district of eastern Middlesex	24	----	----	----	1	4	13	5	1	----	----	----
Lowell district	18	7	----	----	----	----	9	2	----	----	----	----
Somerville district	9	5	----	----	----	----	4	----	----	----	----	----
East Norfolk district	16	1	3	----	7	1	3	----	----	1	----	----
Central district of Worcester	39	4	2	1	5	10	11	6	----	----	----	----

[1] Population according to the 1930 census.

[2] All figures for the States for which totals are given are also shown by courts for areas with 100,000 or more population and included in the group total for areas with less than 100,000 population.

TABLE VB.—*Reason for reference to court in girls' delinquency cases disposed of by the courts in 7 States, 78 courts that served specified areas with 100,000 or more population, and 249 courts that served areas with less than 100,000 population in 1936*—Continued

Area served by court	Girls' delinquency cases											
		Reason for reference to court										
	Total	Stealing	Act of carelessness or mischief	Traffic violation	Truancy	Running away	Ungovernable	Sex offense	Injury to person	Use, possession, or sale of liquor or drugs	Other reason	Reason not reported
AREAS WITH 100,000 OR MORE POPULATION—Continued.												
Michigan:												
Genesee County	114	3	37	----	31	13	12	15	1	----	2	----
Ingham County	2	----	----	----	1	----	----	1	----	----	----	----
Kent County	65	8	5	----	7	4	17	24	----	----	----	----
Oakland County	23	1	----	----	11	5	3	2	1	----	----	----
Saginaw County	34	2	----	----	4	5	23	----	----	----	----	----
Wayne County	177	6	----	----	38	12	94	27	----	----	----	----
Minnesota: Hennepin County	170	37	2	5	9	24	23	50	1	5	14	----
New Jersey: Hudson County	76	9	----	----	24	5	13	20	3	----	2	----
New York:												
Albany County	117	11	----	----	70	6	18	10	1	----	1	----
Broome County	20	6	----	----	4	2	2	6	----	----	----	----
Chatauqua County	10	2	----	----	2	----	4	2	----	----	----	----
Dutchess County	14	1	----	----	3	1	5	3	1	----	----	----
Erie County	72	23	1	1	1	17	20	6	3	----	----	----
Monroe County	18	----	----	----	1	1	10	6	----	----	----	----
New York (city)	694	71	31	----	13	135	177	122	12	----	1	132
Niagara County	16	4	4	----	----	3	3	1	1	----	----	----
Oneida County	41	5	4	----	19	----	10	----	----	----	3	----
Orange County	2	----	----	----	----	----	2	----	----	----	----	----
Rensselaer County	47	----	----	----	38	3	5	1	----	----	----	----
Schenectady County	15	5	1	----	----	4	4	1	----	----	----	----
Suffolk County	8	3	----	----	1	1	2	1	----	----	----	----
Syracuse (city)	48	12	5	----	7	----	19	5	----	----	----	----
Westchester County	48	3	----	----	14	2	13	14	2	----	----	----
Ohio:												
Franklin County	235	31	4	----	33	29	66	70	----	----	2	----
Hamilton County	525	53	26	1	56	147	160	63	9	5	5	----
Lucas County	250	27	10	1	52	52	64	33	2	6	3	----
Mahoning County	54	6	7	----	11	4	16	10	----	----	----	----
Montgomery County	191	14	40	----	31	29	47	28	1	1	----	----
Oregon: Multnomah County	193	22	14	2	19	30	64	36	3	1	2	----
Pennsylvania:												
Allegheny County	127	10	5	----	6	16	55	27	8	----	----	----
Berks County	18	7	----	----	----	----	1	10	----	----	----	----
Montgomery County	13	2	----	----	----	----	6	5	----	----	----	----
Philadelphia (city and county)	531	50	56	----	42	156	154	52	14	3	4	----
Rhode Island: Sixth district	18	1	----	----	1	----	3	13	----	----	----	----
South Carolina: Greenville County	29	----	7	----	----	7	13	2	----	----	----	----
Utah: Third District	131	15	3	6	38	14	33	20	----	2	----	----
Virginia: Norfolk (city)	96	8	10	3	8	8	23	13	23	----	----	----
Washington:												
Pierce County	58	3	4	----	3	20	16	11	----	1	----	----
Spokane County	113	8	6	----	3	45	25	21	----	4	1	----
Wisconsin: Milwaukee County	460	72	101	8	49	50	70	99	2	9	----	----
AREAS WITH LESS THAN 100,000 POPULATION	1,819	211	117	11	294	239	412	426	30	25	46	8
50,000, less than 100,000	711	103	36	5	149	80	143	159	4	4	26	2
Less than 50,000	637	60	57	4	75	84	153	152	16	11	19	6
Population group not reported [3]	471	48	24	2	70	75	116	115	10	10	1	----

[3] Areas in Indiana with less than 100,000 population but population group not specified.

TABLE VI.—*Place of care of child pending hearing or disposition in delinquency cases disposed of by the courts in 1 State, 45 courts that served specified areas with 100,000 or more population, and 19 courts that served areas with less than 100,000 population in 1936* [1]

Area served by court	Delinquency cases								
	Total	No detention care	Detention care overnight or longer in specified place						No report as to detention care
			Boarding home or other family home	Detention home [2]	Other institution	Jail or police station [3]	Other place of care [4]	Place of care not reported	
Total cases [5]	49,300	29,804	494	13,291	2,653	1,401	444	.....	1,213
State total: Utah [5]	1,964	1,659	4	80	67	89	65	.....	.....
AREAS WITH 100,000 OR MORE POPULATION	46,423	27,607	469	13,103	2,588	1,191	252	.....	1,213
Alabama: Mobile County	136	70	.....	51	.....	15	.....	.....	.....
California:									
Los Angeles County	2,452	160	3	695	.....	343	52	.....	1,199
San Diego County	1,547	966	1	562	2	16	.....	.....	.....
San Francisco (city and county)	589	186	.....	400	.....	3	.....	.....	.....
Connecticut:									
Fairfield County	1,213	1,093	.....	90	.....	30	.....	.....	.....
Hartford (city)	553	475	.....	77	1	.....	.....	.....	.....
District of Columbia	1,474	1,028	.....	441	3	2	.....	.....	.....
Florida: Dade County	605	389	.....	.....	48	1	167	.....	.....
Georgia: Fulton County	1,216	764	.....	451	1	.....	.....	.....	.....
Indiana:									
Allen County	134	84	.....	41	.....	9	.....	.....	.....
Lake County	288	211	.....	72	3	2	.....	.....	.....
Marion County	1,035	95	1	934	5	.....	.....	.....	.....
St. Joseph County	383	354	.....	.....	.....	29	.....	.....	.....
Vanderburg County	319	285	2	.....	.....	5	27	.....	.....
Iowa: Polk County	330	207	.....	109	1	13	.....	.....	.....
Louisiana:									
Caddo Parish	296	154	13	119	3	7	.....	.....	.....
Orleans Parish	1,009	355	.....	598	56	.....	.....	.....	.....
Maryland: Baltimore (city)	2,626	2,379	2	.....	244	.....	.....	.....	1
Michigan:									
Kent County	476	254	.....	219	3	.....	.....	.....	.....
Oakland County	253	98	.....	155	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Wayne County	2,167	1,007	3	1,157	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Minnesota: Hennepin County	1,048	1,001	13	.....	.....	32	2	.....	.....
New Jersey: Hudson County	464	283	.....	180	1	.....	.....	.....	.....
New York:									
Erie County	798	517	281	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Monroe County	161	125	1	.....	35	.....	.....	.....	.....
New York (city)	5,127	3,284	2	.....	1,838	3	.....	.....	.....
Rensselaer County	221	147	.....	.....	74	.....	.....	.....	.....
Syracuse (city)	235	94	.....	138	3	.....	.....	.....	.....
Westchester County	337	198	6	.....	133	.....	.....	.....	.....
Ohio:									
Franklin County	1,379	593	.....	479	37	269	1	.....	.....
Hamilton County	2,531	1,169	10	1,303	13	36	.....	.....	.....
Lucas County	1,074	690	2	359	1	22	.....	.....	.....
Mahoning County	449	177	.....	216	.....	56	.....	.....	.....
Montgomery County	833	499	.....	266	3	65	.....	.....	.....
Oregon: Multnomah County	1,068	771	4	165	16	112	.....	.....	.....
Pennsylvania:									
Allegheny County	900	544	4	333	12	7	.....	.....	.....
Berks County	94	74	.....	.....	13	5	2	.....	.....
Montgomery County	92	8	1	82	.....	1	.....	.....	.....
Philadelphia (city and county)	4,688	3,479	1	1,192	3	.....	.....	.....	13

[1] Population according to the 1930 census.

[2] Includes cases of children cared for part of the time in detention homes and part of the time elsewhere, but excludes cases of children also held in jails or police stations.

[3] Includes a few cases of children cared for part of the time in jails or police stations and part of the time elsewhere.

[4] Includes a few cases of children held in more than 1 place of care, but in places other than detention homes, jails, or police stations.

[5] All figures for the State for which a total is given are also shown by courts for areas with 100,000 or more population and included in the group total for areas with less than 100,000 population.

TABLE VI.—*Place of care of child pending hearing or disposition in delinquency cases disposed of by the courts in 1 State, 45 courts that served specified areas with 100,000 or more population, and 19 courts that served areas with less than 100,000 population in 1936*—Continued

Area served by court	Delinquency cases								
			Detention care overnight or longer in specified place						
	Total	No detention care	Boarding home or other family home	Detention home	Other institution	Jail or police station	Other place of care	Place of care not reported	No report as to detention care
AREAS WITH 100,000 OR MORE POPULATION—Continued.									
South Carolina: Greenville County	149	124	1			24			
Utah: Third district	846	709		80	25	31	1		
Virginia: Norfolk (city)	636	223	115	275	8	15			
Washington:									
Pierce County	198	123		65		10			
Spokane County	632	357		248	2	25			
Wisconsin: Milwaukee County	3,362	1,804	3	1,551	1	3			
AREAS WITH LESS THAN 100,000 POPULATION	2,877	2,197	25	188	65	210	192		
50,000, less than 100,000	1,752	1,285	7	183	47	167	63		
Less than 50,000	1,125	912	18	5	18	43	129		

TABLE VII.—*Manner of handling delinquency cases disposed of by the courts in 7 States, 78 courts that served specified areas with 100,000 or more population, and 289 courts that served areas with less than 100,000 population in 1936* [1]

Area served by court	Delinquency cases		
	Total	Official	Unofficial
Total cases [2]	63,320	43,612	19,708
State totals: [2]			
Connecticut	3,868	1,612	2,256
Indiana	3,793	1,697	2,096
Massachusetts	5,065	5,065	
Michigan	5,227	5,227	
New York	9,580	9,579	1
Rhode Island	653	653	
Utah	1,964	1,132	832
AREAS WITH 100,000 OR MORE POPULATION	52,561	36,173	16,388
Alabama: Mobile County	136	136	
California:			
Los Angeles County	2,452	2,452	
San Diego County	1,547	910	637
San Francisco (city and county)	589	589	
Connecticut:			
Fairfield County	1,213	307	906
Hartford (city)	553	212	341
New Haven (city)	202	202	
District of Columbia	1,474	1,414	60
Florida: Dade County	605	605	
Georgia: Fulton County	1,216	466	750
Indiana:			
Allen County	134	88	46
Lake County	288	118	170
Marion County	1,035	827	208
St. Joseph County	383	45	338
Vanderburgh County	319	65	254

[1] Population according to the 1930 census.

[2] All figures for the States for which totals are given are also shown by courts for areas with 100,000 population and included in the group total for areas with less than 100,000 population.

TABLE VII.—*Manner of handling delinquency cases disposed of by the courts in 7 States, 78 courts that served specified areas with 100,000 or more population, and 289 courts that served areas with less than 100,000 population in 1936*—Continued

Area served by court	Delinquency cases		
	Total	Official	Unofficial
AREAS WITH 100,000 OR MORE POPULATION—Continued.			
Iowa: Polk County	330	154	176
Louisiana:			
Caddo Parish	296	225	71
Orleans Parish	1,009	1,009	----
Maryland: Baltimore (city)	2,626	2,626	----
Massachusetts:			
Boston:			
Boston (central section)	519	519	----
Brighton	38	38	----
Charlestown	93	93	----
Dorchester	138	138	----
East Boston	222	222	----
Roxbury	345	345	----
South Boston	144	144	----
West Roxbury	138	138	----
Second district of Bristol	179	179	----
Third district of Bristol	193	193	----
Lawrence district	76	76	----
Southern Essex district	114	114	----
Springfield district	255	255	----
First district of eastern Middlesex	151	151	----
Third district of eastern Middlesex	245	245	----
Lowell district	139	139	----
Somerville district	84	84	----
East Norfolk district	126	126	----
Central district of Worcester	300	300	----
Michigan:			
Genesee County	429	429	----
Ingham County	53	53	----
Kent County	476	476	----
Oakland County	253	253	----
Saginaw County	219	219	----
Wayne County	2,167	2,167	----
Minnesota: Hennepin County	1,048	1,048	----
New Jersey: Hudson County	464	464	----
New York:			
Albany County	502	502	----
Broome County	149	119	----
Chautauqua County	151	151	----
Dutchess County	74	74	----
Erie County	798	798	----
Monroe County	161	161	----
New York (city)	5,127	5,127	----
Niagara County	114	114	----
Oneida County	268	268	----
Orange County	26	26	----
Rensselaer County	221	221	----
Schenectady County	123	123	----
Suffolk County	84	84	----
Syracuse (city)	235	235	----
Westchester County	337	337	----
Ohio:			
Franklin County	1,379	413	966
Hamilton County	2,531	146	2,385
Lucas County	1,074	172	902
Mahoning County	449	305	144
Montgomery County	833	122	711
Oregon: Multnomah County	1,068	280	788
Pennsylvania:			
Allegheny County	900	900	----
Berks County	94	92	2
Montgomery County	92	92	----
Philadelphia (city and county)	4,688	1,610	3,078
Rhode Island: Sixth district	245	245	----
South Carolina: Greenville County	149	99	50
Utah: Third district	846	484	362
Virginia: Norfolk (city)	636	636	----
Washington:			
Pierce County	198	119	79
Spokane County	632	207	425
Wisconsin: Milwaukee County	3,362	823	2,539
AREAS WITH LESS THAN 100,000 POPULATION	10,759	7,439	3,320
50,000, less than 100,000	4,555	3,274	1,281
Less than 50,000	4,570	3,611	959
Population group not reported [3]	1,634	554	1,080

[3] Areas in Indiana with less than 100,000 population but population group not specified.

TABLE VIIIA.—*Disposition of boys' delinquency cases by the courts of 7 States, 78 courts that served specified areas with 100,000 or more population, and 280 courts that served areas with less than 100,000 population in 1936* [1]

Area served by court	Boys' delinquency cases												
		Child kept under supervision of court			Child not kept under supervision of court								
						Committed to—		Referred without commitment to—					
	Total	Probation officer supervising	Agency or individual supervising	Under temporary care of an institution	Case dismissed or adjusted	Institution	Agency or individual	Institution	Agency or individual	Restitution, fine, or costs ordered	Other disposition of case	Case held open without further action	Disposition not reported
Total cases [2]	53,485	18,745	870	806	20,068	4,667	378	235	850	862	2,196	3,808	
State totals: [2]													
Connecticut	3,428	1,007	12	3	1,943	137	12	23	170	44	73	4	
Indiana	2,709	999	36	12	871	307	19	8	22	24	95	316	
Massachusetts	4,624	2,497			548	337	29			91	45	1,077	
Michigan	4,469	2,223	267	107	1,046	337	16	12	3	19	262	177	
New York	8,187	3,435	47	4	3,194	777	161	19	21	62	97	370	
Rhode Island	591	462	1	30	3	91		1			2	1	
Utah	1,655	571	25	2	739	91	5	5	6	125	38	48	
AREAS WITH 100,000 OR MORE POPULATION	44,545	15,061	753	747	17,242	3,913	322	219	714	517	1,812	3,245	
Alabama: Mobile County	112	37	1	35	18	21							
California:													
Los Angeles County	1,892	1,210	99	221	252	65					45		
San Diego County	1,288	113	3	97	764	22		3	3		88	195	
San Francisco (city and county)	434	316	25	17	27	33		2			14		
Connecticut:													
Fairfield County	1,092	243		1	707	24	1	15	63	3	34	1	
Hartford (city)	489	112			339	15	3	3	1		14	2	
New Haven (city)	166	82	8		54	19	3						
District of Columbia	1,282	597	158		153	99	25	2	21	118	14	95	
Florida: Dade County	489	170	24	6	98	117	6	5	5		58		
Georgia: Fulton County	1,015	135	4		23	214	2		1			636	
Indiana:													
Allen County	53	32		1	2	12			2		3	1	
Lake County	215	63	13	5	86	20	6	2	4	1	8	7	
Marion County	755	281	13		46	109	3	1	2		34	266	
St. Joseph County	301	89			185	5	1	2	5		9	5	
Vanderburgh County	222	41	1		106	24	1		9	16	21	3	
Iowa: Polk County	298	107		2	170	15		1			3		
Louisiana:													
Caddo Parish	235	9	11	2	73	82	6		1	15	6	30	
Orleans Parish	903	152	6		129	30	1		4	47	8	256	
Maryland: Baltimore (city)	2,346	489	2		1,373	29	7 1	45	55	15	68	1	
Massachusetts:													
Boston:													
Boston (central section)	444	194			8	21	1			1	1	218	
Brighton	37	17			2	2				2		14	
Charlestown	89	53			4	3				1	4	24	
Dorchester	129	63			37	7	1			2	2	17	
East Boston	212	96			28	3				1	4	80	
Roxbury	319	156			44	27				1	4	87	
South Boston	136	82			21					1		32	
West Roxbury	129	46			43	4				2	1	33	
Second district of Bristol	167	118			5	15				1	2	26	
Third district of Bristol	181	1[illegible]			5	4	2			1	1	13	
Lawrence district	71	47			5	9				1		9	
Southern Essex district	105	54			10	17				1	1	22	
Springfield district	229	134			19	10	1			10		55	
First district of east Middlesex	140	97			19	9	4			1		10	

[1] Population according to the 1930 census.

[2] All figures for the States for which totals are given are also shown by courts for areas with 100,000 or more population and included in the group total for areas with less than 100,000 population.

TABLE VIIIA.—*Disposition of boys' delinquency cases by the courts of 7 States, 78 courts that served specified areas with 100,000 or more population, and 280 courts that served areas with less than 100,000 population in 1936*—Continued

Area served by court	Boys' delinquency cases												
		Child kept under supervision of court			Child not kept under supervision of court							Case held open without further action	Disposition not reported
	Total	Probation officer supervising	Agency or individual supervising	Under temporary care of an institution	Case dismissed or adjusted	Committed to—		Referred without commitment to—		Restitution, fine, or costs ordered	Other disposition of case		
						Institution	Agency or individual	Institution	Agency or individual				
AREAS WITH 100,000 OR MORE POPULATION—Continued.													
Massachusetts—Continued.													
Third district of east Middlesex	221	120			34	14	2			1	2	48	
Lowell district	121	78			3	8	2				3	27	
Somerville district	75	61			1	7					4	2	
East Norfolk district	110	31			53	12	3			1	3	7	
Central district of Worcester	261	110			67	15				3	1	65	
Michigan:													
Genesee County	315	16	113	1	99	21	7	6			52		
Ingham County	51	49								2			
Kent County	411	158	23	49	115	17		1	1	7	10	30	
Oakland County	230	4	49	48	111	17					1		
Saginaw County	185	101		1	59	9	1				14		
Wayne County	1,990	1,207	40		401	186		4	1		32	119	
Minnesota: Hennepin County	878	370	4	142	43	27		3		5	25	259	
New Jersey: Hudson County	388	116			155	110	4		1	2			
New York:													
Albany County	385	126			190	27				1	39	2	
Broome County	129	55			5	13	42					14	
Chautauqua County	141	10	15		28	10	5			11		62	
Dutchess County	60	36	1		3	10	7					3	
Erie County	726	212			315	57	40	8	4	23	15	52	
Monroe County	143	78			29	22	13	1					
New York (city)	4,433	1,986	2	4	1,969	373	3	9	14	9	15	49	
Niagara County	98	33			39	15	6					5	
Oneida County	227	110			81	36							
Orange County	24	6			5	4					6	3	
Rensselaer County	174	37			103	16				1	9	8	
Schenectady County	108	42			35	24	2					5	
Suffolk County	76	57			7	5	7						
Syracuse (city)	187	106			4	11	8		1			57	
Westchester County	289	212	4		40	9	12	1	2	2	2	5	
Ohio:													
Franklin County	1,144	314	2		694	91	7	13	5		17	1	
Hamilton County	2,006	270	4	13	1,112	36	21	28	212		298	12	
Lucas County	824	119	40	8	384	34	10	4	144	24	55	2	
Mahoning County	395	251	4		73	33		13	1	15	4	1	
Montgomery County	642	146		11	337	36			15	30	34	33	
Oregon: Multnomah County	875	264	10	46	454	29		9	26	4	17	16	
Pennsylvania:													
Allegheny County	773	394	2	7	225	144					1		
Berks County	76	46			1	18				1	3	7	
Montgomery County	79	59		1	1	12					6		
Philadelphia (city and county)	4,157	860			2,268	487	38		39	29	420	16	
Rhode Island: Sixth district	227	181		13		31		1				1	
South Carolina: Greenville County	120	46			42	14	1	4	6			7	
Utah: Third district	715	253			414	35		1		1	10	1	
Virginia: Norfolk (city)	540	155	45		155	61	9	6	8	49	16	36	
Washington:													
Pierce County	140	5	6		33	22		3	2	10	21	38	
Spokane County	519	15	11		261	50	1	11	30	15	92	33	
Wisconsin: Milwaukee County	2,902	566	10	16	1,939	80	4	12	26	30	138	81	
AREAS WITH LESS THAN 100,000 POPULATION	8,940	3,684	117	59	2,826	754	56	16	136	345	384	563	
50,000, less than 100,000	3,844	1,656	54	41	1,066	311	16	2	110	102	177	309	
Less than 50,000	3,933	1,535	54	12	1,314	306	32	11	26	236	187	220	
Population group not reported [3]	1,163	493	9	6	446	137	8	3		7	20	34	

[3] Areas in Indiana with less than 100,000 population but population group not specified.

TABLE VIIIB.—*Disposition of girls' delinquency cases by the courts of 7 States, 78 courts that served specified areas with 100,000 or more population, and 249 courts that served areas with less than 100,000 population in 1936* [1]

Area served by court	Girls' delinquency cases											
	Total	Child kept under supervision of court			Child not kept under supervision of court						Case held open without further action	Disposition not reported
		Probation officer supervising	Agency or individual supervising	Under temporary care of an institution	Case dismissed or adjusted	Committed to—		Referred without commitment to—		Restitution, fine, or costs ordered	Other disposition of case	
						Institution	Agency or individual	Institution	Agency or individual			
Total cases [2]	9,835	3,059	279	349	2,813	1,348	169	66	344	55	564	789	----
State totals: [2]												
Connecticut	440	78	16	2	194	87	5	2	33	8	15	----	----
Indiana	1,084	346	23	11	357	109	11	5	8	12	74	128	----
Massachusetts	441	222	----	----	58	74	15	----	----	1	4	67	----
Michigan	758	279	44	16	190	107	10	5	----	1	62	44	----
New York	1,393	559	13	----	368	296	54	----	4	1	18	80	----
Rhode Island	62	52	----	2	----	8	----	----	----	----	----	----	----
Utah	309	123	8	3	99	24	1	2	8	5	14	22	----
AREAS WITH 100,000 OR MORE POPULATION	8,016	2,507	242	323	2,295	1,007	129	60	309	21	477	646	----
Alabama: Mobile County	24	13	1	6	----	4	----	----	----	----	----	----	----
California:													
Los Angeles County	560	344	60	81	43	21	----	----	----	----	11	----	----
San Diego County	259	32	----	38	129	8	----	----	2	----	25	25	----
San Francisco (city and county)	155	73	10	31	38	1	----	1	----	----	1	----	----
Connecticut:													
Fairfield County	121	25	----	----	68	13	----	2	10	----	3	----	----
Hartford (city)	64	21	----	----	32	9	2	----	----	----	----	----	----
New Haven (city)	36	----	13	----	14	8	1	----	----	----	----	----	----
District of Columbia	192	81	42	----	13	22	13	----	1	4	2	14	----
Florida: Dade County	116	32	7	1	21	20	3	2	2	----	28	----	----
Georgia: Fulton County	201	27	----	----	1	20	2	----	2	----	----	149	----
Indiana:													
Allen County	81	75	----	----	2	1	----	1	----	----	1	1	----
Lake County	73	13	11	6	26	8	1	----	3	----	2	3	----
Marion County	280	39	2	----	72	18	2	1	3	----	32	111	----
St. Joseph County	82	18	----	----	44	6	----	----	----	----	14	----	----
Vanderburgh County	97	32	----	----	26	9	----	----	2	1	25	2	----
Iowa: Polk County	32	7	----	10	9	6	----	----	----	----	----	----	----
Louisiana:													
Caddo Parish	61	----	1	1	17	17	----	1	5	----	16	3	----
Orleans Parish	106	17	2	----	10	36	----	----	1	2	----	38	----
Maryland: Baltimore (city)	280	70	----	----	118	76	1	7	6	----	2	----	----
Massachusetts:													
Boston:													
Boston (central section)	75	51	----	----	2	7	----	----	----	----	----	15	----
Brighton	1	----	----	----	----	----	----	----	----	----	----	1	----
Charlestown	4	3	----	----	1	----	----	----	----	----	----	----	----
Dorchester	9	6	----	----	2	----	----	----	----	----	----	1	----
East Boston	10	4	----	----	3	----	2	----	----	----	----	1	----
Roxbury	26	9	----	----	3	11	2	----	----	----	1	----	----
South Boston	8	6	----	----	----	1	----	----	----	----	----	1	----
West Roxbury	9	1	----	----	5	1	----	----	----	----	----	2	----
Second district of Bristol	12	8	----	----	----	2	----	----	----	----	----	2	----
Third district of Bristol	12	10	----	----	1	1	----	----	----	----	----	----	----
Lawrence district	5	1	----	----	----	----	1	----	----	----	----	3	----
Southern Essex district	9	3	----	----	----	2	----	----	----	----	----	4	----
Springfield district	26	12	----	----	2	7	2	----	----	----	----	3	----
First district of eastern Middlesex	11	4	----	----	----	4	----	----	----	----	----	3	----

[1] Population according to the 1930 census.

[2] All figures for the States for which totals are given are also shown by courts for areas with 100,000 or more population and included in the group total for areas with less than 100,000 population.

TABLE VIIIB.—*Disposition of girls' delinquency cases by the courts of 7 States, 78 courts that served specified areas with 100,000 or more population, and 249 courts that served areas with less than 100,000 population in 1936*—Continued

Area served by court	Girls' delinquency cases												
		Child kept under supervision of court			Child not kept under supervision of court								
						Committed to—		Referred without commitment to—					
	Total	Probation officer supervising	Agency or individual supervising	Under temporary care of an institution	Case dismissed or adjusted	Institution	Agency or individual	Institution	Agency or individual	Restitution, fine, or costs ordered	Other disposition of case	Case held open without further action	Disposition not reported
AREAS WITH 100,000 OR MORE POPULATION—Continued.													
Massachusetts—Continued.													
Third district of eastern Middlesex	24	15	----	----	5	1	1	----	----	----	----	2	----
Lowell district	18	11	----	----	3	2	----	----	----	----	----	2	----
Somerville district	9	5	----	----	1	3	----	----	----	----	----	----	----
East Norfolk district	16	3	----	----	13	----	----	----	----	----	----	----	----
Central district of Worcester	39	24	----	----	4	3	----	----	----	1	----	7	----
Michigan:													
Genesee County	114	18	11	----	59	9	----	4	----	----	13	----	----
Ingham County	2	2	----	----	----	----	----	----	----	----	----	----	----
Kent County	65	12	4	9	25	5	----	1	----	1	2	6	----
Oakland County	23	8	5	----	8	1	----	----	----	----	----	1	----
Saginaw County	34	19	----	----	10	4	----	----	----	----	1	----	----
Wayne County	177	95	12	1	20	25	----	----	----	----	1	23	----
Minnesota: Hennepin County	170	75	1	61	6	4	----	----	----	----	----	23	----
New Jersey: Hudson County	76	16	----	----	30	27	2	1	----	----	----	----	----
New York:													
Albany County	117	21	----	----	77	8	----	----	----	----	8	3	----
Broome County	20	5	----	----	1	4	5	----	----	----	1	4	----
Chautauqua County	10	----	----	----	----	4	----	----	----	----	----	6	----
Dutchess County	14	4	----	----	2	8	----	----	----	----	----	----	----
Erie County	72	9	----	----	17	14	17	----	2	1	1	11	----
Monroe County	18	3	----	----	3	10	2	----	----	----	----	----	----
New York (city)	694	402	2	----	148	133	2	----	1	----	5	1	----
Niagara County	16	1	----	----	9	5	----	----	----	----	----	1	----
Oneida County	41	8	----	----	20	13	----	----	----	----	----	----	----
Orange County	2	----	----	----	----	2	----	----	----	----	----	----	----
Rensselaer County	47	3	----	----	31	3	----	----	----	----	1	9	----
Schenectady County	15	8	----	----	2	4	----	----	----	----	----	1	----
Suffolk County	8	6	----	----	----	----	2	----	----	----	----	----	----
Syracuse (city)	48	24	----	----	----	5	9	----	----	----	----	10	----
Westchester County	48	21	8	----	6	6	5	----	1	----	----	1	----
Ohio:													
Franklin County	235	58	5	----	119	30	1	3	12	----	7	----	----
Hamilton County	525	24	----	10	204	34	7	19	133	----	79	15	----
Lucas County	250	48	12	5	125	19	5	2	20	----	12	2	----
Mahoning County	54	9	----	----	27	12	2	1	2	----	1	----	----
Montgomery County	191	41	----	3	60	16	1	3	18	----	20	29	----
Oregon: Multnomah County	193	11	7	55	41	1	1	4	28	5	23	17	----
Pennsylvania:													
Allegheny County	127	50	----	3	16	58	----	----	----	----	----	----	----
Berks County	18	11	----	----	----	5	1	----	----	----	----	1	----
Montgomery County	13	8	----	----	----	5	----	----	----	----	----	----	----
Philadelphia (city and county)	531	152	----	----	181	102	22	----	1	1	71	1	----
Rhode Island: Sixth district	18	18	----	----	----	----	----	----	----	----	----	----	----
South Carolina: Greenville County	29	6	----	----	12	2	----	----	1	----	1	7	----
Utah: Third district	131	62	1	----	50	12	----	----	2	----	4	----	----
Virginia: Norfolk (city)	96	22	5	----	38	4	7	2	1	----	5	12	----
Washington:													
Pierce County	58	2	8	----	10	15	----	----	2	2	8	11	----
Spokane County	113	2	----	----	20	26	2	3	19	3	19	19	----
Wisconsin: Milwaukee County	460	128	12	2	190	24	3	2	29	----	31	39	----
AREAS WITH LESS THAN 100,000 POPULATION	1,819	552	37	26	518	341	40	6	35	34	87	143	----
50,000, less than 100,000	711	215	19	15	169	112	16	----	24	5	45	91	----
Less than 50,000	637	168	8	6	162	162	16	3	11	18	42	41	----
Population group not reported [3]	471	169	10	5	187	67	8	3	----	11	----	11	----

[3] Areas in Indiana with less than 100,000 population but population group not specified.

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TABLE IX.—*Color, nativity, and parent nativity of children dealt with in dependency and neglect cases disposed of by the courts in 1 State, 38 courts that served specified areas with 100,000 or more population, and 18 courts that served areas with less than 100,000 population in 1936* [1]

Area served by court	Dependency and neglect cases							
	Total	White children						Colored children
		Total	Native, native parentage	Native, foreign or mixed parentage	Native, parentage not reported	Foreign born	Nativity not reported	
Total cases [2]	18,700	15,941	10,918	3,794	697	146	386	2,759
State total: Utah [2]	222	211	186	22	1	2		11
AREAS WITH 100,000 OR MORE POPULATION	17,731	15,027	10,077	3,738	684	143	385	2,704
Alabama: Mobile County	16	13	13					3
California:								
Los Angeles County	1,184	1,123	597	245		23	258	61
San Diego County	558	538	456	79	1	2		20
San Francisco (city and county)	727	611	267	260	64	5	15	116
Connecticut:								
Fairfield County	549	480	277	183	18		2	69
Hartford (city)	136	112	55	55	1	1		24
District of Columbia	257	134	130	3	1			123
Georgia: Fulton County	385	323	319	4				62
Indiana:								
Lake County	52	46	31	14	1			6
Marion County	317	271	271					46
Iowa: Polk County	296	273	262	11				23
Louisiana:								
Caddo Parish	163	150	148		2			13
Orleans Parish	288	212	105	7	9		91	76
Michigan:								
Kent County	208	201	144	10	40		7	7
Wayne County	560	488	239	222	22	3	2	72
Minnesota: Hennepin County	319	308	186	57	65			11
New York:								
Erie County	114	101	68	32		1		13
Monroe County	148	141	106	31	4			7
New York (city)	3,035	2,490	1,237	1,152	5	92	4	545
Rensselaer County	102	101	99	1	1			1
Syracuse (city)	117	113	83	29	1			4
Westchester County	408	332	127	158	42	4	1	76
Ohio:								
Franklin County	408	349	311	24	11	2	1	59
Hamilton County	459	337	304	23	9		1	122
Lucas County	1,017	930	842	77	9	2		87
Mahoning County	73	45	25	17	3			28
Montgomery County	333	265	257	7	1			68
Oregon: Multnomah County	658	626	561	47	16	1	1	32
Pennsylvania:								
Allegheny County	711	586	341	229	14	2		125
Berks County	14	14	14					
Montgomery County	65	52	25	26		1		13
Philadelphia (city and county)	2,467	1,763	1,181	510	68	3	1	704
South Carolina: Greenville County	87	74	74					13
Utah: Third district	65	65	46	18	1			
Virginia: Norfolk (city)	138	106	102		3	1		32
Washington:								
Pierce County	152	149	139	4	5		1	3
Spokane County	188	181	157	24				7
Wisconsin: Milwaukee County	957	924	478	179	267			33
AREAS WITH LESS THAN 100,000 POPULATION	969	914	841	56	13	3	1	55
50,000, less than 100,000	577	552	519	28	4		1	25
Less than 50,000	392	362	322	28	9	3		30

[1] Population according to the 1930 census.
[2] All figures for the State for which a total is given are also shown by courts for areas with 100,000 or more population and included in the group total for areas with less than 100,000 population.

TABLE X.—*Reason for reference to court of children in families represented in dependency and neglect cases disposed of by the courts in 1 State, 37 courts that served specified areas with 100,000 or more population, and 18 courts that served areas with less than 100,000 population in 1936* [1]

Area served by court	Families represented in dependency and neglect cases						
		Reason for reference of child to court					
	Total	Without adequate care or support from parent or guardian	Abandonment or desertion	Abuse or cruel treatment	Living under conditions injurious to morals	Physically handicapped and in need of public care	Other reason
Total cases [2]	9,715	7,182	250	424	1,131	724	4
State total: Utah [2]	95	55	13	8	19	----	----
AREAS WITH 100,000 OR MORE POPULATION	9,203	6,829	229	404	1,058	680	3
Alabama: Mobile County	13	2	----	----	11	----	----
California:							
San Diego County	352	189	3	32	119	9	----
San Francisco (city and county)	366	274	4	8	80	----	----
Connecticut:							
Fairfield County	373	341	1	5	21	5	----
Hartford (city)	67	64	----	----	3	----	----
District of Columbia	178	165	6	1	4	1	1
Georgia: Fulton County	198	150	15	13	19	1	----
Indiana:							
Lake County	24	23	----	----	1	----	----
Marion County	172	134	18	1	17	2	----
Iowa: Polk County	176	114	4	----	3	55	----
Louisiana:							
Caddo Parish	107	70	5	1	26	5	----
Orleans Parish	185	164	12	1	8	----	----
Michigan:							
Kent County	99	82	1	6	4	6	----
Wayne County	266	218	28	2	16	2	----
Minnesota: Hennepin County	178	164	----	1	3	10	----
New York:							
Erie County	84	12	----	1	7	64	----
Monroe County	68	68	----	----	----	----	----
New York (city)	1,808	1,247	20	103	268	170	----
Rensselaer County	59	40	----	2	5	12	----
Syracuse (city)	64	24	----	2	10	28	----
Westchester County	233	136	4	5	27	61	----
Ohio:							
Franklin County	232	164	----	6	9	53	----
Hamilton County	251	168	3	43	21	16	----
Lucas County	477	410	3	25	25	13	1
Mahoning County	53	20	2	----	3	28	----
Montgomery County	198	117	1	16	25	39	----
Oregon: Multnomah County	371	294	10	20	44	2	1
Pennsylvania:							
Allegheny County	371	319	5	9	10	28	----
Berks County	9	6	----	----	2	1	----
Montgomery County	30	30	----	----	----	----	----
Philadelphia (city and county)	1,201	897	61	54	134	55	----
South Carolina: Greenville County	55	43	2	5	4	1	----
Utah: Third district	32	25	4	1	2	----	----
Virginia: Norfolk (city)	74	35	6	7	26	----	----
Washington:							
Pierce County	127	102	----	15	9	1	----
Spokane County	110	59	2	10	30	9	----
Wisconsin: Milwaukee County	542	459	9	9	62	3	----
AREAS WITH LESS THAN 100,000 POPULATION	512	353	21	20	73	44	1
50,000, less than 100,000	309	195	17	10	57	29	1
Less than 50,000	203	158	4	10	16	15	----

[1] Population according to the 1930 census.
[2] All figures for the State for which a total is given are also shown by courts for areas with 100,000 or more population and included in the group total for areas with less than 100,000 population.

TABLE XI.—*Place of care of child pending hearing or disposition in dependency and neglect cases disposed of by the courts in 1 State, 38 courts that served specified areas with 100,000 or more population, and 18 courts that served areas with less than 100,000 population in 1936* [1]

Area served by court	Dependency and neglect cases						
			Detention care overnight or longer in specified place				
	Total	No detention care	Boarding home or other family home	Detention home [2]	Other institution	Other place of care [3]	No report as to detention care
Total cases [4]	18,700	13,402	577	1,750	2,330	141	500
State total: Utah [4]	222	132	16	1	65	8	
AREAS WITH 100,000 OR MORE POPULATION	17,731	12,602	520	1,701	2,274	134	500
Alabama: Mobile County	16	13		2	1		
California:							
Los Angeles County	1,184	47	19	499		119	500
San Diego County	558	416	35	32	75		
San Francisco (city and county)	727	688		39			
Connecticut:							
Fairfield County	549	542	1	6			
Hartford (city)	136	81	4	30	21		
District of Columbia	257	222		33	2		
Georgia: Fulton County	385	288	3	93	1		
Indiana:							
Lake County	52	35		17			
Marion County	317	280		32	5		
Iowa: Polk County	296	183	39	62	12		
Louisiana:							
Caddo Parish	163	61	30	61	11		
Orleans Parish	288	233	8	28	18	1	
Michigan:							
Kent County	208	164	5	39			
Wayne County	560	542	10		8		
Minnesota: Hennepin County	319	291	16		11	1	
New York:							
Erie County	114	94	20				
Monroe County	148	76	11		61		
New York (city)	3,035	1,577	2		1,449	7	
Rensselaer County	102	77			25		
Syracuse (city)	117	48	7	39	23		
Westchester County	408	297	95		16		
Ohio:							
Franklin County	408	324	2	73	8	1	
Hamilton County	459	436	5	10	7	1	
Lucas County	1,017	989	7	16	5		
Mahoning County	73	62	2	6	3		
Montgomery County	333	278		53	2		
Oregon: Multnomah County	658	465	131	10	52		
Pennsylvania:							
Allegheny County	711	550	14	131	15	1	
Berks County	14	11			3		
Montgomery County	65	32		33			
Philadelphia (city and county)	2,467	2,087		5	375		
South Carolina: Greenville County	87	85	2				
Utah: Third district	65	20	5	1	37	2	
Virginia: Norfolk (city)	138	90	36	1	11		
Washington:							
Pierce County	152	118	9	14	11		
Spokane County	188	146		40	2		
Wisconsin: Milwaukee County	957	654	2	296	4	1	
AREAS WITH LESS THAN 100,000 POPULATION	969	800	57	49	56	7	
50,000, less than 100,000	577	466	28	36	40	7	
Less than 50,000	392	334	29	13	16		

[1] Population according to the 1930 census.

[2] Includes cases of children cared for part of the time in detention homes and part of the time elsewhere, but excludes cases of children also held in jails or police stations.

[3] Includes 33 children cared for in jail or police station (29 in Los Angeles County, Calif.; 1 in New York City; 1 in Hamilton County, Ohio; 1 in Milwaukee County, Wis., and 1 in second district, Utah) and 108 children cared for in other places.

[4] All figures for the State for which a total is given are also shown by courts for areas with 100,000 or more population and included in the group total for areas with less than 100,000 population.

TABLE XII.—*Disposition of dependency and neglect cases disposed of by the courts in 5 States, 48 courts that served specified areas with 100,000 or more population, and 106 courts that served areas with less than 100,000 population in 1936* [1]

Area served by court	Dependency and neglect cases												
		Child kept under supervision of court			Child not kept under supervision of court								
						Committed to—			Referred without commitment to—				
	Total	Probation officer supervising	Agency or individual supervising	Under temporary care of an institution	Case dismissed or adjusted	Institution	Agency	Individual	Institution	Agency or individual	Other disposition of case	Case held open without further action	Disposition not reported
Total cases [2]	23,599	3,989	2,109	1,069	6,203	2,162	2,926	541	1,042	816	1,110	1,632	----
State totals: [2]													
Connecticut	1,493	71	10	3	362	426	339	13	15	141	45	68	----
Indiana	369	117	67	60	19	28	38	3	4	25	2	6	----
New York	8,344	1,340	265	4	2,037	895	940	176	981	124	840	742	----
Utah	222	36	25	4	48	19	26	4	----	26	17	17	----
Michigan	855	83	423	35	158	16	6	2	1	4	10	117	----
AREAS WITH 100,000 OR MORE POPULATION	19,581	3,782	1,913	923	5,428	1,779	2,440	430	675	752	534	925	----
Alabama: Mobile County	16	4	1	2	2	----	5	2	----	----	----	----	----
California:													
Los Angeles County	1,184	628	118	100	281	42	----	----	----	----	15	----	----
San Diego County	558	123	2	27	353	----	----	----	----	5	2	46	----
San Francisco (city and county)	727	129	417	53	109	----	----	----	1	----	18	----	----
Connecticut:													
Fairfield County	549	52	1	----	202	65	68	1	8	128	16	8	----
Hartford (city)	136	6	----	----	38	45	42	4	----	1	----	----	----
New Haven (city)	157	----	1	2	32	49	55	2	----	----	16	----	----
District of Columbia	257	----	225	----	1	----	27	----	----	----	----	4	----
Georgia: Fulton County	385	46	10	1	14	1	74	23	----	6	----	210	----
Indiana:													
Lake County	52	1	----	----	19	7	----	3	4	10	2	6	----
Marion County	317	116	67	60	----	21	38	----	----	15	----	----	----
Iowa: Polk County	296	96	----	26	96	73	----	----	----	2	3	----	----
Louisiana:													
Caddo Parish	163	3	57	18	20	22	1	10	2	25	----	5	----
Orleans Parish	288	8	23	----	60	22	11	4	----	40	41	79	----
Michigan:													
Kent County	208	54	5	14	101	6	----	2	1	2	1	22	----
Wayne County	560	29	395	----	35	7	6	----	----	2	1	85	----
Minnesota: Hennepin County	319	----	226	----	16	6	52	----	----	----	----	19	----
New York:													
Albany County	345	----	----	----	180	64	----	35	42	----	21	3	----
Broome County	259	----	----	----	8	5	59	4	104	----	57	22	----
Chautauqua County	69	5	31	----	----	4	9	2	11	----	2	5	----
Dutchess County	367	----	19	----	104	20	54	20	37	----	64	49	----
Erie County	114	----	----	----	6	----	44	----	47	----	16	1	----
Monroe County	148	3	----	----	26	9	109	----	----	----	1	----	----
New York (city)	3,035	1,186	5	4	981	591	38	----	115	102	6	7	----
Niagara County	50	----	----	----	8	1	4	1	29	----	3	4	----
Oneida County	169	----	----	----	24	----	37	----	79	----	29	----	----
Orange County	182	27	2	----	48	11	2	----	59	----	33	----	----
Rensselaer County	102	----	----	----	15	55	----	----	6	4	6	16	----
Schenectady County	112	----	----	----	8	6	13	12	17	----	53	3	----
Suffolk County	140	----	----	----	41	6	91	2	----	----	----	----	----
Syracuse (city)	117	11	----	----	3	22	26	14	25	7	2	7	----
Westchester County	408	35	56	----	25	4	190	6	50	11	13	18	----

[1] Population according to the 1930 census.

[2] All figures for the States for which totals are given are also shown by courts for areas with 100,000 or more population and included in the group total for areas with less than 100,000 population.

TABLE XII.—*Disposition of dependency and neglect cases disposed of by the courts in 5 States, 48 courts that served specified areas with 100,000 or more population, and 106 courts that served areas with less than 100,000 population in 1936*—Con.

Area served by court	Dependency and neglect cases												
		Child kept under supervision of court			Child not kept under supervision of court								
						Committed to—			Referred without commitment to—				
	Total	Probation officer supervising	Agency or individual supervising	Under temporary care of an institution	Case dismissed or adjusted	Institution	Agency	Individual	Institution	Agency or individual	Other disposition of case	Case held open without further action	Disposition not reported
AREAS WITH 100,000 OR MORE POPULATION—Continued.													
Ohio:													
Franklin County	408			2	205	74	61	11	6	46	3		
Hamilton County	459	3	1		53	4	359		1	16	19	3	
Lucas County	1,017	120	8	41	714	25	6	40	1	37	16	9	
Mahoning County	73	1	13	12	2		25	11		9			
Montgomery County	333	8	4	2	103	71	59	24	3	46	3	10	
Oregon: Multnomah County	658	109	44	19	238	12	19	8	5	79	43	82	
Pennsylvania:													
Allegheny County	711	497	4	43	111	51	2	3					
Berks County	14	2				3	8			1			
Montgomery County	65	55	5	1	2	2							
Philadelphia (city and county)	2,467	350			875	339	758	128		4		13	
South Carolina: Greenville County	87	6			6	4		12		7		52	
Utah: Third District	65	2	16		39	3	4				1		
Virginia: Norfolk (city)	138	7	25	2	29	1	3	3	6	44		18	
Washington:													
Pierce County	152	4	40	7	25		14	3	1	29	10	19	
Spokane County	188			6	14	14	1	32	14	37	12	58	
Wisconsin: Milwaukee County	957	56	92	481	156	12	66	8	1	37	6	42	
AREAS WITH LESS THAN 100,000 POPULATION	4,018	207	196	146	775	383	486	111	367	64	576	707	
50,000, less than 100,000	1,693	141	71	138	303	166	169	53	172	39	147	294	
Less than 50,000	2,325	66	125	8	472	217	317	58	195	25	429	413	

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TABLE XIII.—*Reason for discharge in cases of delinquent children discharged from supervision by the courts in 5 States, 45 courts that served specified areas with 100,000 or more population, and 177 courts that served areas with less than 100,000 population in 1936* [1]

Area served by court	Cases of delinquent children discharged from supervision								
		Reason for discharge							
	Total	Conduct of child satisfactory or conditions improved	Expiration of period specified by court	Conduct of child or conditions unsatisfactory but further supervision not advised	Child committed or referred to institution	Child committed or referred to agency or individual	Whereabouts of child unknown, or child moved from jurisdiction of court	Other reason	Reason not reported
Total cases [2]	16,715	9,423	618	367	2,060	299	1,118	2,728	102
State totals:									
Connecticut	747	544	76	15	50	7	6	49	----
Indiana	1,376	1,059	3	80	130	14	71	19	----
Michigan	2,212	1,120	130	33	288	10	147	385	99
New York	3,427	2,634	32	64	541	30	56	70	----
Utah	685	426	50	26	46	2	35	98	2
AREAS WITH 100,000 OR MORE POPULATION	13,529	7,468	474	238	1,768	263	920	2,392	6
Alabama: Mobile County	17	16	----	----	----	1	----	----	----
California:									
Los Angeles County	3,189	494	----	----	371	67	519	1,738	----
San Diego County	105	62	2	7	9	----	21	4	----
San Francisco (city and county)	356	298	----	7	30	2	18	1	----
Connecticut:									
Hartford (city)	125	104	----	1	13	2	3	2	----
New Haven (city)	85	50	14	9	10	----	1	1	----
District of Columbia	685	402	3	8	69	28	38	137	----
Indiana:									
Lake County	19	15	----	----	2	2	----	----	----
Marion County	218	158	----	5	33	3	14	5	----
Vanderburgh County	52	35	3	3	6	1	3	1	----
Iowa: Polk County	86	62	----	3	9	1	8	3	----
Louisiana: Orleans Parish	185	98	53	10	20	----	1	3	----
Michigan:									
Genesee County	147	1	102	----	11	----	9	24	----
Ingham County	59	1	1	----	12	2	15	27	1
Kent County	186	88	----	25	13	1	20	39	----
Oakland County	76	42	4	5	17	----	2	6	----
Saginaw County	95	45	----	----	7	----	12	29	2
Wayne County	969	731	----	----	144	1	1	92	----
Minnesota: Hennepin County	663	573	26	4	48	3	4	5	----
New Jersey: Hudson County	117	38	46	4	5	3	3	18	----
New York:									
Albany County	91	69	----	----	16	----	6	----	----
Broome County	68	50	----	----	17	----	----	1	----
Chautauqua County	1	----	----	----	----	----	----	1	----
Dutchess County	35	27	----	----	7	1	----	----	----
Erie County	128	90	----	5	22	8	----	3	----
Monroe County	77	54	----	----	20	3	----	----	----
New York (city)	2,060	1,629	27	35	306	3	28	32	----
Niagara County	32	22	----	3	7	----	----	----	----
Oneida County	121	99	----	----	21	----	----	1	----
Orange County	15	13	----	----	1	----	----	1	----
Rensselaer County	45	32	5	1	5	----	1	1	----
Schenectady County	45	27	----	1	16	----	1	----	----

[1] Population according to the 1930 census.

[2] All figures for the States for which totals are given are also shown by courts for areas with 100,000 or more population and included in the group total for areas with less than 100,000 population.

TABLE XIII.—*Reason for discharge in cases of delinquent children discharged from supervision by the courts in 5 States, 45 courts that served specified areas with 100,000 or more population, and 177 courts that served areas with less than 100,000 population in 1936*—Continued

Area served by court	Cases of delinquent children discharged from supervision									
		Reason for discharge								
	Total	Conduct of child satisfactory or conditions improved	Expiration of period specified by court	Conduct of child or conditions unsatisfactory but further supervision not advised	Child committed or referred to institution	Child committed or referred to agency or individual	Whereabouts of child unknown, or child moved from jurisdiction of court	Other reason	Reason not reported
AREAS WITH 100,000 OR MORE POPULATION—Continued.									
New York—Continued.									
Suffolk County	34	24	----	4	6	----	----	----	----
Syracuse (city)	117	78	----	3	21	3	5	7	----
Westchester County	209	142	----	4	37	12	3	11	----
Ohio:									
Hamilton County	214	100	5	5	25	19	34	26	----
Lucas County	91	45	1	----	13	6	24	2	----
Montgomery County	168	63	43	13	18	6	14	11	----
Oregon: Multnomah County	311	171	9	28	29	24	42	8	----
Pennsylvania:									
Berks County	10	1	----	----	8	----	----	1	----
Philadelphia (city and county)	789	296	116	1	209	33	18	116	----
South Carolina: Greenville County	111	69	6	3	13	2	18	----	----
Utah: Third District	351	282	----	1	17	----	21	28	2
Virginia: Norfolk (city)	177	128	8	----	20	8	9	3	1
Wisconsin: Milwaukee County	795	644	----	40	85	18	4	4	----
AREAS WITH LESS THAN 100,000 POPULATION	3,186	1,955	144	129	292	36	198	336	96
50,000, less than 100,000	1,118	544	59	38	116	12	111	180	58
Less than 50,000	981	560	85	19	87	16	33	143	38
Population group not reported [3]	1,087	851	----	72	89	8	54	13	----

[3] Areas in Indiana with less than 100,000 population but population group not specified.

TABLE XIV.—*Reason for discharge in cases of dependent and neglected children discharged from supervision by the courts in 3 States, 24 courts that served specified areas with 100,000 or more population, and 15 courts that served areas with less than 100,000 population in 1936* [1]

Area served by court	Cases of dependent and neglected children discharged from supervision							
		Reason for discharge						
	Total	Conduct of child satisfactory or conditions improved	Expiration of period specified by court	Conduct of child or conditions unsatisfactory but further supervision not advised	Child committed or referred to institution	Child committed or referred to agency or individual	Whereabouts of child unknown or child moved from jurisdiction of court	Other reason
Total cases [2]	4,069	2,259	40	133	406	630	394	207
State totals: [2]								
Michigan	165	124			9	12	1	19
New York	776	594	17	22	85	23	10	25
Utah	38	19		3		12	1	3
AREAS WITH 100,000 OR MORE POPULATION	3,770	2,141	23	111	390	575	371	159
Alabama: Mobile County	6	2				1		3
California:								
Los Angeles County	773	349			57	18	274	75
San Diego County	51	31		1		1	16	2
San Francisco (city and county)	161	72		4	15	68	1	1
District of Columbia	187	59				93	22	13
Iowa: Polk County	48	33		3	4		7	1
Louisiana:								
Caddo Parish	10				8	2		
Orleans Parish	13	8		2				3
Michigan:								
Oakland County	1	1						
Wayne County	143	123			6	12		2
Minnesota: Hennepin County	169	108			12	49		
New York:								
Monroe County	3				3			
New York (city)	633	501	17	2	80	4	7	22
Orange County	16	14		2				
Syracuse (city)	1							1
Westchester County	21	8			1	11	1	
Ohio:								
Hamilton County	5	3				1	1	
Lucas County	88	22	1	23	9	7	23	3
Oregon: Multnomah County	115	68		13	1	8	15	10
Pennsylvania:								
Berks County	3	2				1		
Philadelphia (city and county)	277	167	5	4	34	50	3	14
South Carolina: Greenville County	13	1		5	1	5	1	
Utah: Third district	15	15						
Wisconsin: Milwaukee County	1,018	554		52	159	244		9
AREAS WITH LESS THAN 100,000 POPULATION	299	118	17	22	16	55	23	48
50,000, less than 100,000	219	64	17	11	13	43	23	48
Less than 50,000	80	54		11	3	12		

[1] Population according to the 1930 census.

[2] All figures for the States, for which totals are given, are also shown by courts for areas with 100,000 or more population and included in the group total for areas with less than 100,000 population.

TABLE XV.—*Length of time child was under supervision in cases of delinquent children discharged from supervision by the courts in 5 States, 45 courts that served specified areas with 100,000 or more population, and 177 courts that served areas with less than 100,000 population in 1936* [1]

Area served by court	Cases of delinquent children							
	Total	Duration of supervision						
		Less than 6 months	6 months, less than 12	1 year, less than 18 months	18 months, less than 2 years	2 years, less than 3	3 years or more	Not reported
Total cases [2]	16,715	4,804	5,121	3,438	1,278	1,139	839	96
State totals: [2]								
Connecticut	747	338	296	90	16	4	3	
Indiana	1,376	342	457	290	164	91	32	
Michigan	2,212	489	691	543	158	166	70	95
New York	3,427	961	1,320	708	218	129	90	1
Utah	685	216	272	101	39	41	16	
AREAS WITH 100,000 OR MORE POPULATION	13,529	3,870	4,154	2,811	1,039	931	723	1
Alabama: Mobile County	17	5	9	2		1		
California:								
Los Angeles County	3,189	923	560	779	280	315	332	
San Diego County	105	20	15	25	15	11	19	
San Francisco (city and county)	356	107	107	80	30	21	11	
Connecticut:								
Hartford (city)	125	23	58	23	14	4	3	
New Haven (city)	85	15	51	19				
District of Columbia	685	124	232	153	96	56	24	
Indiana:								
Lake County	19	9	9	1				
Marion County	218	68	103	25	21	1		
Vanderburgh County	52	40	11				1	
Iowa: Polk County	86	19	23	23	6	8	7	
Louisiana: Orleans Parish	185	83	100	2				
Michigan:								
Genesee County	147	22	25	96	4			
Ingham County	59	16	25	18				
Kent County	186	74	62	32	8	6	4	
Oakland County	76	37	17	14	5		3	
Saginaw County	95	42	37	16				
Wayne County	969	131	378	210	114	91	45	
Minnesota: Hennepin County	663	336	274	41	6	4	2	
New Jersey: Hudson County	117	5	5	61	13	24	9	
New York:								
Albany County	91	21	40	30				
Broome County	68	9	18	29	4	7	1	
Chautauqua County	1	1						
Dutchess County	35	14	4	14	1	2		
Erie County	128	17	27	26	29	24	5	
Monroe County	77	16	23	17	15	4	2	
New York (city)	2,060	739	1,010	241	61	8		1
Niagara County	32	2	1	24	5			
Oneida County	121	15	9	86	7	3	1	
Orange County	15	3		8	2	2		
Rensselaer County	45	5	11	29				
Schenectady County	45	6	17	9	5	5	3	
Suffolk County	34	4	5	23	1	1		
Syracuse (city)	117	13	12	32	22	18	20	
Westchester County	209	40	47	48	32	26	16	
Ohio:								
Hamilton County	214	46	55	37	31	28	17	
Lucas County	91	28	45	16	2			
Montgomery County	168	22	22	35	4	29	56	

[1] Population according to the 1930 census.
[2] All figures for the States, for which totals are given, are also shown by courts for areas with 100,000 or more population and included in the group total for areas with less than 100,000 population.

TABLE XV.—*Length of time child was under supervision in cases of delinquent children discharged from supervision by the courts in 5 States, 45 courts that served specified areas with 100,000 or more population, and 177 courts that served areas with less than 100,000 population in 1936*—Continued

Area served by court	Cases of delinquent children							
		Duration of supervision						
	Total	Less than 6 months	6 months, less than 12	1 year, less than 18 months	18 months, less than 2 years	2 years, less than 3	3 years or more	Not reported
AREAS WITH 100,000 OR MORE POPULATION—Continued.								
Oregon: Multnomah County	311	233	54	13	5	3	3	-------
Pennsylvania:								
Berks County	10	5	1	-------	2	1	1	-------
Philadelphia (city and county)	789	322	311	104	25	13	14	-------
South Carolina: Greenville County	111	39	36	25	5	4	2	-------
Utah: Third district	351	84	126	63	23	39	16	-------
Virginia: Norfolk (city)	177	15	37	69	31	20	5	-------
Wisconsin: Milwaukee County	795	72	142	213	115	152	101	-------
AREAS WITH LESS THAN 100,000 POPULATION	3,186	934	967	627	239	208	116	95
50,000, less than 100,000	1,118	269	348	273	52	85	69	22
Less than 50,000	981	440	285	90	44	33	16	73
Population groups not reported [3]	1,087	225	334	264	143	90	31	-------

[3] Areas in Indiana with less than 100,000 population but population group not specified.

TABLE XVI.—*Length of time child was under supervision in cases of dependent and neglected children discharged from supervision by the courts in 3 States, 24 courts that served specified areas with 100,000 or more population, and 15 courts that served areas with less than 100,000 population in 1936* [1]

Area served by court	Cases of dependent and neglected children discharged from supervision						
	Total	Duration of supervision					
		Less than 6 months	6 months, less than 12	1 year, less than 18 months	18 months, less than 2 years	2 years, less than 3	3 years or more
Total cases [2]	4,069	1,270	894	549	336	392	628
State totals: [2]							
Michigan	165	7	20	22	11	35	70
New York	776	282	265	116	25	29	29
Utah	38	14	6	8	5	2	3
AREAS WITH 100,000 OR MORE POPULATION	3,770	1,179	847	499	312	361	572
Alabama: Mobile County	6	3	2		1		
California:							
Los Angeles County	773	428	105	77	36	39	88
San Diego County	51	7	10	7	1	5	21
San Francisco (city and county)	161	55	49	18	20	8	11
District of Columbia	187	15	47	29	34	23	39
Iowa: Polk County	48	3	10	6	6	11	12
Louisiana:							
Caddo Parish	10	5	5				
Orleans Parish	13	4	9				
Michigan:							
Oakland County	1			1			
Wayne County	143	5	20	19	8	30	61
Minnesota: Hennepin County	169	42	39	25	7	23	33
New York:							
Monroe County	3	3					
New York (city)	633	239	276	89	16	12	1
Orange County	16	8		2		3	3
Syracuse (city)	1	1					
Westchester County	21	2	3	7	3		6
Ohio:							
Hamilton County	5		1	1	2	1	
Lucas County	88	31	37	20			
Oregon: Multnomah County	115	34	29	22	11	17	2
Pennsylvania:							
Berks County	3			1	2		
Philadelphia (city and county)	277	73	78	55	21	16	34
South Carolina: Greenville County	13		3	3	4		3
Utah: Third district	15	3	4		5		3
Wisconsin: Milwaukee County	1,018	218	120	117	135	173	255
AREAS WITH LESS THAN 100,000 POPULATION	299	91	47	50	24	31	56
50,000, less than 100,000	219	63	30	35	21	23	47
Less than 50,000	80	28	17	15	3	8	9

[1] Population according to the 1930 census.

[2] All figures for the States for which totals are given are also shown by courts for areas with 100,000 or more population and included in the group total for areas with less than 100,000 population.

PART II.—FEDERAL JUVENILE OFFENDERS FOR THE YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 1936

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PART II.—FEDERAL JUVENILE OFFENDERS FOR THE YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 1936

INTRODUCTION

This part of the report presents information concerning the juveniles under 19 years of age who violated Federal laws and came to the attention of Federal authorities during the year ended June 30, 1936.[1] Cases of children violating Federal laws who were dealt with by juvenile courts are not included. In some communities serious violations of Federal laws as well as many minor violations are handled by the juvenile court. Such cases were included with the figures presented in part I, Juvenile-Court Statistics. The number of cases of children dealt with by the Federal courts is influenced by such factors as the age under which the juvenile courts have jurisdiction, the attitudes of local authorities toward reference to juvenile rather than Federal courts, and the degree of development of the State facilities for juvenile-court work.

The data presented in part II regarding Federal juvenile offenders are not comparable to the data presented in part I, Juvenile-Court Statistics, because the information for juvenile-court statistics is assembled from one source: Namely, cases disposed of, whereas statistics for Federal juvenile offenders are assembled from four different sources, each representing a different stage in the handling of the case. It has been necessary, therefore, to present the material in four sections according to the source of the reports received. Each section, however, presents information regarding some particular aspect in the treatment of the juvenile offenders. The first section, Federal juvenile offenders brought to the attention of United States probation officers, includes data on the geographical distribution, movement, and disposition of cases; the second section, Federal juvenile offenders received in jails and held pending trial, includes information concerning the age and sex of the offenders; the third section, Federal juvenile offenders discharged from detention after being held pending trial, includes data on the place and length of detention and the type of discharge from detention; and the fourth section, Federal juvenile offenders placed on probation and those received under sentence in jails and in Federal institutions, presents material regarding the types of offenses.

FEDERAL JUVENILE OFFENDERS BROUGHT TO THE ATTENTION OF UNITED STATES PROBATION OFFICERS[2]

Information available for the year ended June 30, 1936, regarding Federal juvenile offenders brought to the attention of United States

[1] The statistics have been compiled by the Bureau of Prisons of the United States Department of Justice and are based upon reports received in that Bureau from United States probation officers, from United States marshals, and from Federal institutions that received Federal offenders by court commitment.

[2] The Federal judicial districts covered by the statistics of Federal juvenile offenders for the year ended June 30, 1936, included Puerto Rico and 79 of the 84 Federal judicial districts in the United States. Statistics of cases from the five districts not covered, where no probation officer was on duty during the year, are included with those reported by other districts whenever the offenders were referred to United States probation officers in the adjoining districts. Reports of the District of Columbia are not included, as the administrative relationship of the District of Columbia courts to the Department of Justice differs from that of other Federal courts.

probation officers, includes the movement of cases, the geographical distribution of cases, and the disposition of cases.

Reports from the United States probation officers inidcate that 2,693 cases of juveniles under 19 years of age charged with violation of Federal laws came to their attention during the year ended June 30, 1936. This number is 8 percent higher than the number (2,501) reported for the year ended June 30, 1935. Of the 2,693 cases handled during 1936, 2,263 (84 percent) were new cases, and 430 were cases that had been carried over from the preceding year. Of the total number of cases, 2,235 (83 percent) were disposed of and 458 were carried over to the next fiscal year (table A).

TABLE A.—*Total cases and movement of cases of Federal juvenile offenders brought to the attention of United States probation officers in each Federal judicial district during the year ended June 30, 1936*

Federal judicial district [1]	Cases brought to the attention of United States probation officers				
	Total	Cases carried over from previous year	New cases	Cases disposed of during year	Cases not disposed of June 30, 1936
Total	2,693	430	2,263	2,235	458
Alabama:					
Northern	76	18	58	67	9
Middle	23	5	18	20	3
Southern	13	3	10	10	3
Arizona	84	9	75	73	11
Arkansas:					
Eastern	53	1	52	45	8
Western	74	47	27	32	42
California:					
Northern	14	2	12	14	
Southern	16	2	14	15	1
Colorado	12	2	10	12	
Connecticut	4	1	3	4	
Florida:					
Northern	30	8	22	26	4
Southern	83	18	65	72	11
Georgia:					
Northern	63	17	46	35	28
Middle	58	10	48	39	19
Southern	33	10	23	24	9
Idaho	7		7	7	
Illinois:					
Northern	41	6	35	39	2
Eastern	29	5	24	28	1
Southern	8	1	7	6	2
Indiana:					
Northern	6		6	6	
Southern	11	1	10	7	4
Iowa:					
Northern	3	1	2	3	
Southern	5		5	5	
Kansas	15	2	13	12	3
Kentucky:					
Eastern	124	14	110	112	12
Western	29	1	28	24	5
Louisiana:					
Eastern	27	7	20	23	4
Western	63	5	58	50	13
Maine	36		36	35	1
Maryland	15	2	13	14	1
Massachusetts	10	4	6	2	8
Michigan:					
Eastern	53	5	48	39	14
Minnesota	20	4	16	17	3

[1] Exclusive of the following districts in which there was no United States probation officer on duty during the year ended June 30, 1936: Delaware, Ohio (northern), Utah, West Virginia (northern), and Wisconsin (eastern); however, a large proportion of the Federal juvenile offenders in these districts are regularly referred to the United States probation officers in adjoining districts. No cases were reported from Michigan (western).

TABLE A.—*Total cases and movement of cases of Federal juvenile offenders brought to the attention of United States probation officers in each Federal judicial district during the year ended June 30, 1936*—Continued

Federal judicial district	Cases brought to the attention of United States probation officers				
	Total	Cases carried over from previous year	New cases	Cases disposed of during year	Cases not disposed of June 30, 1936
Mississippi:					
Northern	35	9	26	32	3
Southern	88	13	75	66	22
Missouri:					
Eastern	34	9	25	31	3
Western	34	4	30	29	5
Montana	20	3	17	17	3
Nebraska	6	1	5	6	
Nevada	10		10	9	1
New Hampshire	2		2	2	
New Jersey	33	10	23	29	4
New Mexico	28	1	27	22	6
New York:					
Northern	19	2	17	16	3
Eastern	9		9	9	
Southern	42	3	39	41	1
Western	23	5	18	18	5
North Carolina:					
Eastern	21	2	19	21	
Middle	56	6	50	49	7
Western	48	10	38	35	13
North Dakota	10		10	6	4
Ohio:					
Southern	63	5	58	59	4
Oklahoma:					
Northern	33	8	25	30	3
Eastern	58		58	52	6
Western	49	5	44	39	10
Oregon	11		11	10	1
Pennsylvania:					
Eastern	23	2	21	20	3
Middle	10	4	6	7	3
Western	37	1	36	29	8
Rhode Island	2		2	2	
South Carolina:					
Eastern	85	28	57	73	12
Western	23	4	19	21	2
South Dakota	8		8	3	5
Tennessee:					
Eastern	45	6	39	39	6
Middle	45	16	29	20	25
Western	35	4	31	29	6
Texas:					
Northern	42	4	38	39	3
Eastern	41	10	31	20	21
Southern	70	14	56	54	16
Western	176	6	170	173	3
Vermont	1		1	1	
Virginia:					
Eastern	22		22	17	5
Western	22		22	20	2
Washington:					
Eastern	11		11	10	1
Western	12	1	11	11	1
West Virginia:					
Southern	96	20	76	87	9
Wisconsin:					
Western	9	3	6	7	2
Wyoming	5		5	5	
Puerto Rico	3		3	3	

The proportion of cases of Federal juvenile offenders brought to the attention of United States probation officers in each of the geographic divisions of the United States is shown in table B. Slightly more than one-fifth (22 percent) of the cases were reported by the four northern divisions, in which the population 15 to 18 years of age com-

prises 56 percent of the population of these ages in the continental United States and Puerto Rico. On the other hand, 69 percent of the total number of cases were in Federal judicial districts in the three southern divisions that include only 34 percent of the population. The proportion of cases from the two western divisions was approximately the same as the proportion of the population included in those areas. The variation in the number of Federal juvenile offenders in the different geographic divisions may be accounted for in part by the variations in State facilities for juvenile-court and probation work. Where such facilities have been well established the general practice has been to refer cases of Federal juvenile offenders to the State courts for investigation and disposition. Another factor influencing the number of Federal juvenile offenders in the different geographic divisions is the age up to which the State juvenile courts have jurisdiction.

TABLE B.—*Population 15 to 18 years of age, inclusive,*[1] *in 1930, and total cases and movement of cases of Federal juvenile offenders brought to the attention of United States probation officers in each geographic division during the year ended June 30, 1936* [2]

Geographic division	Population 15 to 18 years of age [1] in 1930		Cases brought to the attention of United States probation officers									
			Total		Cases carried over from previous year		New cases		Cases disposed of during year		Cases not disposed of June 30, 1936	
	Number	Percent distribution	Number	Percent distribution	Number	Percent distribution	Number	Percent distribution	Number	Percent distribution	Number	Percent distribution
Total [2]	9,443,360	100	2,693	100	430	100	2,263	100	2,235	100	458	100
4 northern divisions	5,260,065	56	606	22	79	18	527	23	518	23	88	19
New England	577,560	6	55	2	5	1	50	2	46	2	9	2
Middle Atlantic	1,890,268	20	196	7	27	6	169	7	169	7	27	6
East North Central	1,792,015	19	220	8	26	6	194	9	191	9	29	6
West North Central	1,000,222	11	135	5	21	5	114	5	112	5	23	5
3 southern divisions	3,225,781	34	1,854	69	331	77	1,523	68	1,509	68	345	76
South Atlantic [2]	1,335,684	14	655	24	135	31	520	23	533	24	122	27
East South Central	856,673	9	513	19	89	21	424	19	419	19	94	21
West South Central	1,033,424	11	686	26	107	25	579	26	557	25	129	28
2 western divisions	803,118	8	230	9	20	5	210	9	205	9	25	5
Mountain	284,802	3	166	7	15	4	151	6	145	6	21	4
Pacific	518,316	5	64	2	5	1	59	3	60	3	4	1
Puerto Rico	154,396	2	3	(3)	-----	-----	3	(3)	3	(3)	-----	-----

[1] Very few Federal juvenile offenders are under 15 years of age.
[2] Excludes the District of Columbia because the administrative relation of the District of Columbia courts to the Department of Justice differs from that of other Federal courts.
[3] Less than 1 percent.

Table C gives the number and percentage distribution of cases diverted to State authorities and disposed of by Federal authorities during the year ended June 30, 1936. A slightly smaller percentage of cases of juveniles was diverted to State authorities during that

year than during the year ended June 30, 1935 (8 percent as compared with 9 percent). The small proportion of cases transferred to State authorities may be attributed largely to the following factors: (1) State facilities for the care of juveniles are lacking or inadequate in many localities; (2) in localities where adequate facilities do exist, they frequently are not available for the older juveniles, especially those 18 years of age, who make up a large percentage of the Federal offenders. These older juveniles, therefore, in many cases can be handled more effectively by Federal courts than by State courts; (3) Federal probation service is frequently preferable to the use of the available State facilities, and, likewise, the facilities available to the Federal Government for institutional treatment are often superior to those available to the States.

Consequently it has become apparent that the Federal juvenile offender problem can be solved only to a limited degree by the diversion of juveniles to the States.[3]

TABLE C.—*Disposition of cases of Federal juvenile offenders brought to the attention of United States probation officers during the year ended June 30, 1936*

Disposition of case	Federal juvenile offenders	
	Number	Percent distribution
Total cases	2,235	100
Diverted to State authorities	178	8
Disposed of by Federal authorities	2,057	92
Dismissed, no-billed, nol-prossed, juvenile found not guilty	406	18
Dismissed by United States Commissioner	111	5
No-billed by grand jury	134	6
Nol-prossed by United States attorney	110	5
Juvenile found not guilty	51	2
Juvenile placed on probation	727	32
To United States probation officer—no other disposition	644	29
After serving term	27	1
Plus deportation	56	2
Juvenile fined	13	1
Juvenile committed	667	30
1 year or less	320	14
More than 1 year	347	16
Other disposition of case	244	11

Of the 2,235 cases of juveniles brought to the attention of United States probation officers during the year ended June 30, 1936, the juveniles in 30 percent were committed to institutions—16 percent with periods of commitment exceeding 1 year and 14 percent with

[3] In recognition of this situation and in order to provide for improvement in the methods of dealing with the large proportion of juvenile offenders that cannot be diverted to State authorities, a Federal Juvenile Delinquency Act was passed by Congress and was signed by the President on June 16, 1938. The principal features of the act are as follows: (1) It applies to all Federal offenders under 18 years of age provided they have not committed offenses punishable by death or life imprisonment; (2) cases of juvenile delinquents are to be heard on information and tried without a jury before a district judge who may hold court for that purpose at any time and place within the district—in chambers or otherwise; (3) if found guilty the juvenile may be placed on probation or he may be committed to the United States Attorney General who may designate any public or private agency for the custody and care of the offender; (4) the Attorney General is to be notified of the arrest of any juvenile, and he may provide for the detention of such offenders in a juvenile home; (5) the Board of Parole of the Department of Justice is given power to parole a juvenile at any time.

periods of commitment of 1 year or less. Cases dismissed, no-billed, nol-prossed, and cases in which the juvenile was found not guilty constituted 18 percent of the total cases. In 32 percent of the cases the juvenile was placed on probation.

There was no change from 1935 to 1936 in the proportion of cases in which the juveniles were committed to institutions. There was, however, a slightly larger percentage of cases in 1936 than in 1935 in which the juvenile was placed on probation (33 percent as compared with 27 percent). A correspondingly smaller percentage of cases were dismissed, no-billed, nol-prossed, or found not guilty in 1936 compared with 1935.

FEDERAL JUVENILE OFFENDERS RECEIVED IN JAILS AND HELD PENDING TRIAL [4]

The data available for the year ended June 30, 1936, regarding cases of Federal juvenile offenders received in jails to be held pending trial include the age and the sex of the offenders. Similar information is also presented for the years ended June 30, 1935, and June 30, 1934.

TABLE D.—*Age and sex of Federal juvenile offenders received in jails and held pending trial during the years ended June 30, 1934, 1935, and 1936*

Year, and age of offender	Offenders received in jail and held pending trial					
	Total		Boys		Girls	
	Number	Percent distribution	Number	Percent distribution	Number	Percent distribution
YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 1936						
Total	1,617	100	1,482	100	135	100
Under 15 years	81	5	66	4	15	11
15 years	129	8	113	8	16	12
16 years	250	15	222	15	28	21
17 years	447	28	421	28	26	19
18 years	710	44	660	45	50	37
YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 1935						
Total	1,524	100	1,413	100	111	100
Under 15 years	76	5	69	5	7	6
15 years	99	6	93	7	6	5
16 years	249	16	225	16	24	22
17 years	422	28	401	28	21	19
18 years	678	44	625	44	53	48
YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 1934						
Total	1,167	100	1,077	100	90	100
Under 15 years	56	5	46	4	10	11
15 years	61	5	54	5	7	8
16 years	181	16	165	15	16	18
17 years	318	27	301	28	17	19
18 years	551	47	511	47	40	44

During the year ended June 30, 1936, there were 1,617 cases in which the juvenile offenders were received in jails pending trail (1,482 boys' cases and 135 girls' cases).[5] This number was 6 percent greater than the number reported in the year ended June 30, 1935, and 39 percent greater than during the year ended June 30, 1934 (table D).

[4] Statistics obtained from reports submitted by United States marshals.

[5] Offenders under 19 years of age constituted 5 percent of the total number of cases of Federal offenders received in jails and held pending trial during the years ended June 30, 1935, and 1934, as well as during 1936.

The girls received in jails were younger on the average than the boys. Of the girls received, those in 44 percent of the cases in 1936 and 33 percent in 1935 were under 17 years of age, whereas the boys were of these ages in only 27 percent and 28 percent of the cases in 1936 and 1935, respectively. In both these years juveniles 18 years of age constituted the largest group of offenders of each sex.

FEDERAL JUVENILE OFFENDERS DISCHARGED FROM DETENTION AFTER BEING HELD PENDING TRIAL

The information available for the year ended June 30, 1936, regarding Federal juvenile offenders discharged from detention after being held pending trial includes the place and length of detention prior to trial, and the type of discharge from detention. The figures include all cases of juveniles that were discharged during the year—both those received for detention prior to the beginning of the year and those received during the year. They do not include cases of offenders received for detention that were not discharged during the year.

During the year ended June 30, 1936, there were 1,939 cases of juvenile offenders discharged from detention after being held pending trial (1,790 boys' cases and 149 girls' cases). This number shows an 8 percent increase over the number (1,800) reported in the year ended June 30, 1935.

Table E, giving information concerning the place of detention, shows that in 90 percent of the cases the Federal juvenile offenders discharged from detention were held in local jails, 8 percent were detained in Federal jails, and 2 percent were held in juvenile detention homes. (The small proportion of juveniles held in Federal jails is accounted for by the fact that there were such jails only in Louisiana, Michigan, New York, and Texas.)

TABLE E.—*Place of detention pending trial of Federal juvenile offenders of each sex discharged from detention during the year ended June 30, 1936*

Place of detention pending trial	Offenders discharged from detention after being held pending trial					
	Total		Boys		Girls	
	Number	Percent distribution	Number	Percent distribution	Number	Percent distribution
Total cases	1,939	100	1,790	100	149	100
Local jail	1,747	90	1,611	90	136	91
Federal jail	150	8	150	8	----	----
Juvenile detention home	33	2	29	2	4	3
Other institution	9	(1)	----	----	9	6

[1] Less than 1 percent.

Table F gives data regarding the length of detention pending trial of the Federal juvenile offenders that were discharged from detention during the year ended June 30, 1936. Of the cases of offenders held 1 day or more, 65 percent were held in jails and other places less than a month, 24 percent were held 1 month but less than 3 months, and 8 percent were detained 3 months or more.

TABLE F.—*Length of detention pending trial of Federal juvenile offenders of each sex discharged from detention during the year ended June 30, 1936*

Length of detention pending trial	Offenders discharged from detention after being held pending trial			
	Total		Boys	Girls
	Number	Percent distribution		
Total cases	1,939	100	1,790	149
Less than 1 day	67	3	63	4
1 day or more	1,872	97	1,727	145
1 day, less than 3	330	17	308	22
3 days, less than 1 week	253	13	234	19
1 week, less than 2	266	14	248	18
2 weeks, less than 1 month	418	21	392	26
1 month, less than 2	327	17	294	33
2 months, less than 3	129	7	111	18
3 months, less than 6	135	7	127	8
6 months, less than 1 year	14	1	13	1

When length of detention pending trial is analyzed for the group of cases in which the juveniles were released on bail or recognizance it appears that only 8 percent were detained 1 month or longer. However, of the cases in which the offenders were not released on bail or recognizance, 41 percent were held 1 month or longer (table G).

TABLE G.—*Length of detention pending trial and release on bail or recognizance in cases of Federal juvenile offenders discharged from detention during the year ended June 30, 1936*

Length of detention pending trial	Offenders discharged from detention after being held pending trial					
	Total		Released on bail or recognizance		Not released on bail or recognizance	
	Number	Percent distribution	Number	Percent distribution	Number	Percent distribution
Total cases	1,939	100	614	100	1,325	100
Less than 1 day	67	3	43	7	24	2
1 day or more	1,872	97	571	93	1,301	98
1 day, less than 3	330	17	223	37	107	8
3 days, less than 1 week	253	13	135	22	118	9
1 week, less than 2	266	14	86	14	180	14
2 weeks, less than 1 month	418	21	76	12	342	26
1 month, less than 2	327	17	33	5	294	22
2 months, less than 3	129	7	10	2	119	9
3 months, less than 6	135	7	8	1	127	9
6 months, less than 1 year	14	1	----	----	14	1

The type of discharge from detention most frequently used for Federal juvenile offenders held pending trial was release on bail or recognizance (table H). In almost one-third (32 percent) of the cases the juveniles were released in this manner. In approximately one-sixth (17 percent) of the cases the juveniles were transferred under sentence to Federal penitentiaries, reformatories, or State institu-

tions; in 15 percent they were sentenced to jail; in 13 percent they were placed on probation; and in 10 percent of the cases they were dismissed. Other types of discharge were used for relatively small numbers of cases.

TABLE H.—*Type of discharge of Federal juvenile offenders of each sex discharged from detention during the year ended June 30, 1936*

Type of discharge	Offenders discharged from detention after being held pending trial			
	Total		Boys	Girls
	Number	Percent distribution		
Total	1,939	100	1,790	149
Released	614	32	577	37
On bail	568	30	533	35
On recognizance	46	2	44	2
Transferred under sentence to Federal penitentiary, reformatory, or State institution	324	17	315	9
Sentenced to jail	294	15	283	11
Placed on probation	256	13	239	17
Case dismissed	200	10	173	27
Transferred to immigration authorities	70	4	67	3
Transferred to another Federal district	17	1	17	
Sentence suspended	19	1	18	1
Fine paid	5	(1)	4	1
Juvenile escaped	7	(1)	6	1
Other type, or type not reported	133	7	91	42

[1] Less than 1 percent.

FEDERAL JUVENILE OFFENDERS PLACED ON PROBATION AND THOSE RECEIVED UNDER SENTENCE IN JAILS AND IN FEDERAL INSTITUTIONS [6]

Data available regarding Federal juvenile offenders placed on probation and those received under sentence in jails and in Federal institutions include the age, sex, and the offense charged for the three groups of offenders. Similar information is also presented for the years ended June 30, 1935, and June 30, 1934.

Federal juvenile offenders placed on probation and those received in jails and Federal institutions under sentence comprise the great majority of offenders for whom Federal authorities continue responsibility and supervision after disposition of the case. Table I shows that during the year ended June 30, 1936, in 664 cases the Federal offenders under 19 years of age were placed under the supervision of United States probation officers; in 379 cases they were committed to jails; and in 277 cases they were committed to Federal institutions. The number of juveniles whose cases were disposed of by each of these three methods was larger in 1936 than in either 1935 or 1934.

[6] These statistics pertain to all Federal offenders under 19 years of age received from courts by United States probation officers for supervision during the year, and to all Federal offenders under 19 years received under sentence in county and city jails, Federal jails, prisons, reformatories, and prison camps.

TABLE I.—*Sex of Federal juvenile offenders placed under the supervision of United States probation officers, and of offenders received under sentence in jails and in Federal institutions during the years ended June 30, 1934, 1935, and 1936*

Year, and sex of juvenile	Federal juvenile offenders—		
	Placed under supervision of United States probation officers	Received under sentence in—	
		Jails [1]	Federal institutions [2]
YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 1936			
Total	664	379	277
Boys	628	359	270
Girls	36	20	7
YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 1935			
Total	510	338	269
Boys	482	328	265
Girls	28	10	4
YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 1934			
Total	372	297	176
Boys	344	279	167
Girls	28	18	9

[1] Includes Federal, county, and city jails.
[2] Includes penitentiaries, reformatories, and prison, reformatory, and correctional camps.

Data in table J indicate that the juvenile offenders placed under the supervision of United States probation officers were younger than those received under sentence in jails or Federal institutions. There was little change from 1934 to 1936 in the percentage of juveniles in each age group. In each year there were more cases of juveniles of 18 years than of any other age. In 1936 this group constituted 42 percent of the offenders placed under supervision of United States probation officers, 55 percent of those received under sentence in jails, and 68 percent of those committed to Federal institutions.

TABLE J.—*Age of Federal juvenile offenders placed under the supervision of United States probation officers, and of offenders received under sentence in jails and in Federal institutions during the years ended June 30, 1934, 1935, and 1936*

Year, and age of juvenile	Federal juvenile offenders—					
	Placed under supervision of United States probation officers		Received under sentence in—			
			Jails [1]		Federal institutions [2]	
	Number	Percent distribution	Number	Percent distribution	Number	Percent distribution
YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 1936						
Total	664	100	379	100	277	100
Under 16 years	71	11	26	7	3	1
16 years	106	16	37	10	22	8
17 years	208	31	108	28	63	23
18 years	279	42	208	55	189	68
YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 1935						
Total	510	100	338	100	269	100
Under 16 years	46	9	19	6	3	1
16 years	73	14	35	10	17	6
17 years	170	33	94	28	76	28
18 years	221	43	190	56	173	64
YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 1934						
Total	372	100	297	100	176	100
Under 16 years	19	5	13	4	1	1
16 years	56	15	32	11	5	3
17 years	121	33	90	30	49	28
18 years	176	47	162	55	121	69

[1] Includes Federal, county, and city jails.
[2] Includes penitentiaries, reformatories, and prison, reformatory, and correctional camps.

Table K gives information regarding the offense charged for the three groups of juvenile offenders. In each of the 3 years, 1934, 1935, and 1936, violation of the liquor laws was the most frequent offense for the juveniles placed under the supervision of United States probation officers, although violation of the Immigration Act was more frequent among offenders received under sentence in jails. Among juveniles sentenced to Federal institutions, violation of the Motor Vehicle Theft Act stood first in each year.

TABLE K.—*Offense charged in cases of Federal juvenile offenders placed under the supervision of United States probation officers, and offenders received under sentence in jails and in Federal institutions during the years ended June 30, 1934, 1935, and 1936*

Year, and offense charged	Federal juvenile offenders—					
	Placed under supervision of United States probation officers		Received under sentence in—			
			Jails [1]		Federal institutions [2]	
	Number	Percent distribution	Number	Percent distribution	Number	Percent distribution
YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 1936						
Total	664	100	379	100	277	100
Violation of—						
Liquor laws	338	51	93	25	61	22
Immigration Act			191	50	6	2
Motor Vehicle Theft Act	78	12	17	4	124	46
Postal laws	102	15	16	4	31	11
Laws against counterfeiting and forging	44	7	7	2	17	6
Interstate Commerce Act (Car Seal Act)	21	3	3	1	12	4
Narcotic Drug Act	5	1	3	1	5	2
White Slave Traffic Act	9	1			1	[3]
Other laws or offense not reported	67	10	49	13	20	7
YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 1935						
Total	510	100	338	[4] 100	269	100
Violation of—						
Liquor laws	243	48	101	30	88	32
Immigration Act			133	40	3	1
Motor Vehicle Theft Act	78	15	22	7	94	35
Postal laws	55	11	19	6	35	13
Laws against counterfeiting and forging	50	10	14	4	18	7
Interstate Commerce Act (Car Seal Act)	24	5	6	2	13	5
Narcotic Drug Act	1	[3]	5	1	7	3
White Slave Traffic Act	5	1	1	[3]	2	1
Other laws or offense not reported	54	10	37	10	9	3
YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 1934						
Total	372	[5] 100	297	100	176	100
Violation of—						
Liquor laws	164	45	73	25	41	23
Immigration Act			139	47	4	2
Motor Vehicle Theft Act	53	14	18	6	62	35
Postal laws	62	17	16	5	26	15
Laws against counterfeiting and forging	39	11	3	1	9	5
Interstate Commerce Act (Car Seal Act)	15	4	8	3	23	13
Narcotic Drug Act	1	[3]	4	1	5	3
Other laws or offense not reported	38	9	36	12	6	4

[1] Includes Federal, county, and city jails.
[2] Includes penitentiaries, reformatories, and prison, reformatory, and correctional camps.
[3] Less than 1 percent.
[4] Based on 336 juveniles for whom offense was reported.
[5] Based on 369 juveniles for whom offense was reported.

SUMMARY

Although the statistics for each of the four sections included in this part of the report have been based upon reports of different groups of juvenile offenders, the analysis of the data for each group has indicated that there was an increase from 1935 to 1936 in the number of juveniles dealt with by Federal authorities. In the largest group of Federal juvenile offenders, those brought to the attention of United States probation officers, the increase from 1935 to 1936 amounted to 8 percent.

It is possible that to some extent this increase is apparent rather than actual, and that to some extent it represents a more complete reporting of cases, as the result of closer administrative supervision. However, it also seems probable that there has been some real increase in the number of juveniles violating Federal laws as, for several years, there has been a general upward trend in the total number of Federal offenders, both adult and juvenile, dealt with by the courts.

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